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Friday May 3, 1889. All well this Morning. I received a letter from Elizabeth She is improving in her health. Prest Woodruff signed 16 recommends. and heard our letters read. By appointment Bros C. W. Penrose. O. F. Whitney H. B. Clawson. James Sharp & W. W. Riter met with the Presidency and arrangements were entered into for properly receiving the U. S. Senatorial party who expect to visit Salt Lake City. Hon. F. Armstrong & F. S. Richards will also be of the Committee. A meeting of the Church Board of Education was held at the Gardo House Parlor at 1030 a m \$7500 was appropriated to Bro. C. H. Wilcken Prest Geo. Q. Cannon went to Ogden this afternoon on his way to attend the Wasatch Stake Conference next Sunday & Monday I wrote to Elizabeth this afternoon.

Saturday May 4, 1889 I am feeling tolerable well to-day and attended to our mail matters. (p. 2) Prest Woodruff with Bro. A. Winter started for Logan this morning to attend the conference to-morrow & Monday. Prest. Smith signed 20 recommends By Telegram from Bro John T. Caine we learn that he proposes to leave for home in a day or two. I drew my dividend from, Z. C. M. I - \$95.00 and paid my bills \$41.15 - I also drew \$11.08 on interest on certificate of Deposit #3302 for \$1108.00 together with \$42500 on the same certifiacte and got a new certificate #3352 for \$683.56 dated May 4/89 @ 6% I drew this money for the purpose of paying James Jack for my stock in "the Inland Salt Company" - I drove with Bro. C. H. Wilkins to see S. -

Sunday. May 5, 1889. I spent the day in conversation. &c and returned in the evening with Bro C. H. Wilcken. this was a very windy disagreeable

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day. It was learned that the Senatorial Committee Hoar, of Mass chairman - Allison of Ill. Pugh of Alabama, Hale of Maine & Dolph of Oregon would not stop off at Ogden & come to Salt Lake City but would go on through to-day. Frank Armstrong F. S. Richards & H B. Clawson went to Ogden this afternoon & met them & conversed for a short time. (p.3)

Monday, May 6, 1889. We had a nice rain from about Midnight until 7 o'clock this morning. I am feeling tolerable well. I attended to our Mail matter - read & answered our letters. Prest Smith signed 32 recommends. I recd a letter from Geo. A. Shumway. he says he has an offer of \$700.00 for my 5 1/4 acres of land in the South field.- and that one of my Mares is very sick. I reca letter from Elizabeth this afternoon and wrote to her & to Geo. A. Shumway. I think that \$700.00 is not enough for my land, unless I can put the money out for other Real Estate & so wrote to him.

It has rained at intervals during the day, & quite a snow fell on the East mountains last night. Prest. Joseph F. Smith and myself went to the Theatre to-night and saw Booth and Barratt in the play of the "Merchant of Venice". We went (sic) into the Proscenium boxes.

Tuesday. May 7, 1889. Another nice rain fell last night & some snow this morning. the weather quite cool all-day. I attended to our mail matter. (p.4) Prest. Smith signed 17 recommends. Prest. Geo. Q. Cannon & Elder F. M. Lyman returned this morning from attending the Wasatch Stake Conference. They report having had a good time. Bro. Howard O. Spencer, Samuel Bateman & my son Thomas called this afternoon. Bro. Spencer's trial came on yesterday and the Jury was impannelled (sic) to-day. He is very hopeful of his case. We learn by telegram from Bro John T. Caine at Washington that Arthur L. Thomas is appointed Governor of Utah, Col Elijah

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Sells, as Secretary. Ellsworth Daggett as Surveyor General, and Robinson of Indiana on the Utah Commission Bro Caine leaves for home to-night Prest Woodruff returned from Logan by this evenings train & came to the Garco House. he afterwards went to the Theatre. It rained this afternoon with some Thunder & Lightning & a shower of hail. Bp James W Loveless of 2nd Ward Provo. died to-day.

Wednesday May 8, 1889 I am well in health this morning. We had some frost last night, but do not think enough to injure the fruit. (p. 5) Prest Woodruff signed 29 recommends We learn from Bro. Jesse N. Smith that he paid the \$256000 on the 1st /inst at Albuquerque. I paid Bro. James Jack \$500.00 in cash for my Stock in "The Inland Salt Company." 1000 Shares. I called at Bro Joseph Watson's this evening and spent a couple of hours in conversation. Sister M. M. Barratt is improving in her health, and looks forward to a complete recovery. I recd a note from S. and answered it.

Thursday May 9, 1889. I attended to our Mail Matter and Prest. W. Woodruff signed 31 recommends It was decided to go on and build a new building for Zions Savings Bank & Trust Co. to cost at least \$75,000.00 I received a letter from Elizabeth of the 8th in which she says she will come tomorrow afternoon. Also a letter from my son George A. from which I learn that one of my mare's died last Sunday night. The Presidency & Apostles met in Prayer Circle this afternoon at 2. o'clock Bro A F Macdonald called, and the affairs of the Colonists in Chehuahua, Mexico were considered. (p. 6) I attended a Social gathering at the residence of Marshal Alfred Solomon, this evening on the occasion of the return of his daughter & husband from a Mission to the Sandwich Islands. Prest Woodruff, Cannon & Smith were also present, together with Bro Noel & Barrell & their wives also returning

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missionaries, and a number of relatives and friends, also 5 of the Hawaiian Saints 3 brethren & 2 Sisters. the evening was spent in partaking of Supper, Singing, recitations and brief addresses from Prest. Smith, Cannon & Woodruff until 1. Oclock a.m. I rode down & back with Prest Cannon & Smith, Bro Lehi Pratt as teamster.

Friday, May 10, 1889 I attended to our mail matter, & Prest. Woodruff signed 24 recommends. Prests. Woodruff, Cannon & Smith & myself attended to the distribution of the Stock formerly belonging to the Church in Zion's Savings bank & trust, Co. I subscribed for 30 shares which with 20 I previously had gives me 50 shares, at \$100.00 each. This has been quite a busy day. Prest Woodruff drove down to his farm home this evening My wife Elizabeth came up on to-days train from (p. 7) Provo, and I obtained permission to be absent until Sunday night. I met with her at my Son Leonard's this evening, and was glad to see her feeling as well as she does after her spell of sickness. all my family at Provo are also well.

Saturday May 11, 1889. The Jury in the case against Bro. Howard O. Spencer, brought in a verdict of "not guilty" this morning, and he was discharged. I thank the Lord for this. I spent the day with my wife in conversation on our family and other matters. I agreed to sell my South field land for \$800.00 and wanted her to have my son Joseph or George purchase some 7 acres of land in the East field if they can. Prest Cannon & Smith were at the office to-day Prest Smith signed 18 recommends. & Prest Cannon left by train this afternoon to attend the Summit Stake Conference.

Sunday May 12, 1889 All well this morning. I talked with my wife about buying another mare to make up my team (p. 8) and she had seen Bro. J. W. McHenry about one - He drove down to-day and I went with him to the Church

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Farm & looked at a Mare & Colt there, also a Pony for Wilford, which I think will suit me, and he thinks he can arrange satisfactorily for them. I went to the Stock farm & through the Cremery &c. everything is arranged & Kept very nice. spent the afternoon in conversation. Thomas & Wife called. Bro McHenry & wife also paid us a visit. Bro. C H. Wilcken called for me this evening at 8 o'clock and I rode with him to the Garco House.

Monday, May 13, 1889. I attended to our mail matter. Prest. Smith. signed 19 & Prest Woodruff 6 recommends. Prest Woodruff. returned this morning. Prest D. H. Wells of Manti Temple called to see us. I had some conversation with Bro W. C. Spence to day. he could not get a railway pass for my wife. because Mr. Bennett is away from the city. Hon. John T. Caine returned from Washington D. C. last night and called on us this afternoon. he is well in health & feels well - By telegram from Judge Jere. M. Wilson at Washington (p. 9) D. C. to Bro F. S. Richards we learn that the U. S. Supreme Court decided the Nielsen Habeas Corpus Case to-day in his favor & ordered his discharge. We are thankful to the Lord for this another victory. Bro. Jesse W. Fox called & reported that he with others had during the past few days levelled out a route for a Canal to carry the water from the Weber river to Provo River through the Kamas prairies the canal will be 9 1/2 miles long, and 30 feet wide, is estimated to cost \$50,00000 Bros. M. H. Hardy, & Wm Burton, called and submitted the programme for the Services to be had at the Conference of the Y.M.M.I. assn June 1st & 2nd which was approved. I called at Bro. McHenry's this evening and spent about 2 hours with Elizabeth & Bro Mc's family. as she purposes returning home to Provo in the morning.

Tuesday, May 14, 1889. Pres' Woodruff signed 25 recommends. Prest. Geo

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Q. Cannon returned from Summit Co. Conference this morning. It was decided that double Bronze doors be obtained and hung at the Main entrances on the East and West ends of the Salt Lake Temple. (p. 10) A dispatch was received from Washington D. C. ordering the discharge of Bro. Nielsen from the Penitentiary and arrangements were made for a team & conveyance to bring him to the city. I wrote to Bro Abraham G. Conover of Provo. I have had a very busy day in attending to the public duties. My wife Elizabeth went home this morning.

Wednesday May 15, 1889 It rained some during the night and continued this morning & some snow at noon. I attended to our Mail matter and Prest W. Woodruff signed 14 recommends. I received a letter from Elizabeth this morning Sophia called for a short time this afternoon having come in to do a little business for herself. all well at home.

Thursday, May 16/89. It rained again last night & this morning. Prest Woodruff signed 28 recommends - He has stayed with us since Monday morning. We have had a busy day reading and considering (p. 11) some letters which have accumulated & not been answered. I attended the Prayer Circle of the Presidency and Apostles at 2 p.m. the first I have attended since March 1885, and it was quite a treat to me. to do so again. I wrote to Elizabeth. I accompanied Prest Woodruff to the Theatre tonight at his request. The Opera of "Maritana" performed.

Friday May 17, 1889. Some rain last night. I attended to our Mail Matter, and Prest Woodruff signed 20 recommends. A number of letters were written and sent off. In company with Prests Woodruff & Geo Q. Cannon, I went to the Historians Office and there examined a fine painting by Bro. John M. Bohn, of Mill Creek, the subject is "Christ leaving the Praetorian" on

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Canvass 6 ft 2 x 4 feet nicely framed. Bro. Bohn has been engaged on this painting over 2 years & he now makes a present of it to the Manti Temple. Bro Bohn is 66 years of age. Bro Woodruff left this evening for his farm (p. 12) to prepare for his visit to the Sanpete Stake Conference, to start tomorrow morning. I received checks on Z S B & T Co. #10 for \$3750 & #22 for \$8.25 dated May 17/89 the same being divided on 75 Shares of the B.B. & C.M. Cos. Stock. also check #11 for \$148425 & #23 for \$32653 on My 3958 Shares of B.B. & C M Cos Stock. from Sec Geo Reynolds. Bro J. W. McHenry - called and reported that he had purchased the Bay Mare & Colt for me from Bro M. Sheets for \$85.00 also the mare Pony, from him for \$35.00. that he had put the Horse to the mare on the ¹⁶/"Phelix a Bertrand Colt." and would put a fine runing horse to the Pony Mare tomorrow. his name being "Membrine Fleet." Bro McHenry is very Kind. He tells me the Bay Mare's Colt is from "Cromwell" a standard Horse. I called on Sister Barratt this evening. she has been quite unwell with a bad cold during the week. Bro J. F Smith went home this evening.

Saturday May 18, 1889. I am alone to-day. Bro. Smith went home last night I attended to our mail matter and signed recommends to the Temples. (p.13) I received notices for myself, Elizabeth & Sophia of an assessment of \$5.00 per Share on our Street Railway Stock payable June 22, 1889. I Received a letters from Elizabeth, all well at home and answered her letter. Leonard called accompanied by Bro Thomas Chamberlain who was released from the Penitentiary today. He is looking well and feeling very well in health and spirits. I had a nice talk with him, he starts for home this afternoon. Bro. McHenry informs me that he put the Pony Mare to the Horse this morning, and he will take care of her, and try her again during the next week, also

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will try the other Mare. I wrote to C. A. Hunt. I obtained \$50.00 from Bro James Jack on my a/c. to help pay for the mares. Bro James Malin called for me this evening & drove me to where S is living. I found them all well. Sunday, May 19/89. I spent the day in conversation, reading & resting. and returned with Bro. Malin this evening.

Monday May 20, 1889 All well this morning. Pres' Smith returned last night (p. 14) I attended to our mail matter and Prest Smith signed 35 recommends. I answered the public letters It is rumored that C S Zane & W H Dickson claim to have assurances of their re-appointment - Lawyers A. Brown and Marshall purpose going to Washington D. C to try and defeat them. a telegram was sent to Judge J. M. Wilson to this effect. Watson Bros. put in the lowest bid for the foundation of the New Bank. I sent a telegram to Pres' Geo Q Cannon to this effect and asked if the contract should be awarded to them, & got the answer - yes - this was attended to. I have been engaged in writing up Prest Woodruffs journal for him from the time he left for California April 13, to May 17th I received a letter from my son Joseph also a P. O card from Bro W. H Kelsey Springville about fruit for my family at Provo. which I answered. Bro James Jack presented me with a box of oranges which I sent to Provo by Express.

Tuesday May 21st 1889. All well a nice day - some light showers at times. Pres' Smith signed 28 recommends. I have been busy writing up may letters, & fixing my letter copying book I received a letter from Elizabeth also one from Eleanor which I answered. I also wrote to Hon B. E. Farnow. Dept of (p. 15) Agriculture, Washington D. C. I rec^d a letter from Sophia. I called on Bro McHenry at his residence. He & wife purpose going to Logan next Monday & want my wife Elizabeth to go with them. He promised to call

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on me tomorrow.

Wednesday, May 22, 1889. It is quite warm to-day. I received a letter from Geo. A. Shumway of May 19 and a plot of the ground offered for Sale by Bro Cox of Provo. there being 68 acres. - 15 farm, 30 meadow and 23 pasture - with log house. farm & meadow fenced, flowing well. \$20000 in Water claim, mower, rake, cultivator & double harrow, for \$1600.00 I wrote to him and asked some questions which if satisfactory, I will buy the place at the price. (see my letter in letter book.) Prest Smith signed 14 recommends and I attended to our mail matter. Bro McHenry called this afternoon and I paid him \$78.00 for the mares & Colt. I wrote to Elizabeth. Bro John T. Caine called and said he would send that large book he gave me at Washington, to Provo, as I had it addressed to Joseph - I made up Bro McHenry's record to take to the Temple. He took me out for a ride this evening for over an hour. (p. 16)

Thursday May 23, 1889 I attended to our Mail Matter. Pres' Woodruff & Geo Q Cannon came home from Sanpete last night & to the office this morning. Prest. Smith signed 15 & Pres Woodruff 18 recommends Bro Wm Paxman was released to return home from his Presidency in the New Zealand Mission and that his successor will be appointed upon hearing from him on that subject. I attended a meeting of the B.B.&C.M.Co. at the B Y. Office at 10.45 a m. It was decided to accept the compromise offered by the Eureka Hill Co on the Legal claim - also that Bro H. B. Clawson go to California to lay the matter before the California Company. he leaves this evening. I met Mr Hank Smith to-day the Supt of the B B & C M Cos Mines. I attended the Prayer circle meeting, of the Presidency and Apostles at 230 p m. Thomas called for a short time. he & family are all well. he is not at work this

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week. I wrote up Pres' Woodruffs private journal for him to date. I wrote to Sophia & got an answer. I also wrote to Joseph & sent him clipping from the "Utah Enquirer" in regard to the water rights on the Provo Lake bottom claimed by the Provo Bench Canal Co - for his consideration. (p. 17) in the purchase of the land & water right offered by Bro. Cox. Bro McHenry furnished me a buggy & horse this evening and I took a ride for 1 1/2 hours.

Friday May 24, 1889. Prest Woodruff signed 5 recommends. I attended to our mail matter and answered some letters. An interview was had with Bp. John R. Winder on the political situation. It was decided to hold a meeting of our prominent & influential Men on Next Wednesday evening at the Assembly Hall to talk over these matters as to our coming elections to Save Salt Lake City from the enemy - I received a letter from C. A. Hunt - I had an introduction to Mr Daniel Junius Brown of Chicago. this is the gentleman who (sic) writes for the "Deseret News as "Junius". he is a large fine man. & well pleased with Utah. I received a letter from Elizabeth this afternoon. all well

Saturday May 25, 1889 We learn by the Press dispatches that C. S. Zane has been appointed as Chief Justice for Utah Territory. This is certainly (p.18) a calamity to our fair Territory, and shows that we have nothing favorable to expect from Prest Benjamin Harrison but bitter persecution, oppression. and a disregard for all applications for fair dealing - We however, are in the hands of the Lord & He will bring about all things to please Him. I attended to our Mail Matter, & Prest Woodruff signed 8 recommends. We had a large number of letters answered to-day after their being read to the Brethren. I received a letter from G. A Shumway this morning and he called upon me this evening. having come up on the train. I talked with him a short

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time about the Cox land. he informed that Bro Walter Cox had come up on the train and was at the Presidents Office. I sent for him and he made a full explanation of the land & rights, after which I told him that as soon as I learned from my sons whether any of them would go onto the place & live there. I would let him know. as I felt disposed to buy the place. this was satisfactory to him. I then drove to my Son Leonards with Bro Lehi Pratt & there met my wife Elizabeth who is quite well and she left all at home well.

Sunday May 26, 1889 Geo A Shumway came down to Leonards & I had (p. 19) further talk about the Cox purchase. He will speak to Joseph & George about going onto the place or he wants to move there with his family. He cut my hair, and left in the afternoon to return home this evening. I spent the day in conversation, reading &c. In the evening Bro McHenry & wife came with a suitable vehicle and Elizabeth and myself took a ride for an hour and drove to Mao residence. where Elizabeth stopped so as to be ready to accompany them on the Morning train (6 o'clock) for Logan I went to our quarters at the Gardo House.

Monday May 27, 1889 All well this morning. I attended to our Mail Matter. and Prest Woodruff signed 23 recommends The Presidency gave attention to the reading of letters & the report of the Salary Committee as filed April 11/89 pertaining to the Temples \$984000 per Annum was appropriated for the Officers & \$100000 per annum for the Missionary Workers in the Logan Temple. total \$1084000 also \$11,45000 per annum was appropriated for the officers & \$150000 per annum for the Missionary workers in the Manti Temple. - total \$12,95000. The suggested appropriation of \$11,595.00 per annum for the officers and \$3000.00 per annum for the Missionary workers in the St. George

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Temple, total \$14,59500 was approved (p. 20) if acceptable to the St George Temple authorities. they were written to on this subject. \$1200.00 per annum was allowed to Prest C. O. Card. \$400.00 was appropriated to Bro Orson Smith of Cache Stake. Sister Elizabeth Pugmire Rich Woolley & her husband called she wanting to obtain a divorce. there did not seem to be much cause for a separation. so Pres' Woodruff suggested that they try to reconcile their feelings. which they thought they could do. I was very Kindly treated by sister Elizabeth & her. Mother while at Bear Lake. I was instructed by the Presidency to make enquiry from Bro James Jack as to what will be necessary to obtain the information as to the receipts and disbursements of the Tithings of the Church at the Presidents Office. Things having been so changed during the past two or three years that this information goes entirely to the Presiding Bishop's Office and none is given to the Presidents office. I wrote to Bro Jack on this subject. Apostle F. D. Richards called with Bros Brigham Johnson of Provo Missionary to the Sandwich Islands - Brigham Solomon Brigham Smoot. Jesse Johnson Bennett and Edwin Booth for the Samoan Islands and Erastus Covert for Scandinavia The Presidency gave these young missionaries excellent & timely counsel and blessed them at parting they leave (p. 21) for their missions tomorrow. A number of public letters were answered I obtained a recommend from Prest Woodruff for Elizabeth to go to the Logan Temple and sent it by telegraph to Pres'. M. W. Merrill. I walked out for an hour this evening.

Tuesday May 28th 1889. All well. I attended to our mail, and Prest Woodruff signed 9 recommends. Bro N. P. Madsen of Manti now on a Mission to Denmark was released to return home in consequence of the severe illness of his wife. Pres'. Geo. Teasdale was notified by Cablegram. I

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spoke to Bro. T. G. Webber, Supt. of Z.C.M.I. about the \$900 charged me for a Sack of Sugar in July 1888. and which I paid on May 4th/89, as my wife paid for the Sugar at the time. He said he would enquire into it. I received a letter from Prest. Geo. Teasdale at Liverpool May 14th/89. I wrote to my daughter Mary & sent her \$5.00 at the request of her Mother. Sophia called this afternoon for an hour. Pres' Smith & myself rode out for an hour this evening with Bro S. J. Sudbury - (p. 22)

Wednesday, May 29, 1889. I attended to our Mail Matter. Prest. Woodruff signed 25 recommends. I rec a letter from Geo. A. Shumway & my son George informing me that either Joseph or George or Geo. A. Shumway will move onto the Cox place if I buy it. just as I shall decide, and take care of it. A number of letters were written and mailed. Prests Woodruff & Cannon attended a political meeting at the Tabernacle this evening at 730 o'clock. Bro D. Bateman called for me & I drove out to Sophia's.

Thursday May 30th 1889. This being Decoration day it was observed as a holiday. I spent the day in reading and conversation, and returned with Bro D. Bateman in the evening. Pres' Smith signed 11 Recommends.

Friday May 31st 1889. All well this Morning. I attended to our Mail matter & Pres' Woodruff signed 18 recommends. I received a letter from my daughter Mary. all well at Provo except Elizabeth Ann's little boy George who has some fever. We received a number of public letters and answered them. (p. 23) We learn by telegram that Bro D. E. Harris, the acting President of the Northern States Mission is quite sick with Bilious Fever & general debility. at St John, Kansas. Bro W. E. Taylor who sent the word was informed to do everything possible for his comfort and restoration and if need draw on the President for funds. I attended the usual

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weekly of the Presidency & Apostles in Prayer Circle. The meeting having been postponed till to-day. I wrote a letter to Prest. George Teasdale at Liverpool. I called on Sisters Barratt & Watson this evening.

Saturday June 1st 1889. This is the 88th anniversary of President Brigham Young's birthday. The annual Conference of the young Mens Mutual Improvement Association convened in the Tabernacle at 10 a m. Prests Woodruff & Cannon attended in the morning & afternoon. The President signed 3 recommends and directed me to sign the balance. I signed 27. I also attended to our Mail Matter. I received a letter from Bro. W. D. Johnson Jr. at Diaz Chihuahua, Mexico of May 26th. Elizabeth returned from Logan this afternoon. I went (p. 24) to Leonards this evening and there met Elizabeth & my Sons Joseph & Wilford who came up from Provo on this evenings train.

Sunday June 2nd 1889 I spent the day in conversation &c ate dinner at my son Thomas', and talked with Joseph about the W. Cox purchase and gave him a memoranda of what I wanted. I returned to the Gardo this evening Bro McHenry called for me & Elizabeth & Wilford they stopped at Bro Maos.

Monday June 3rd 1889. All well. I attended to our mail. Prest Woodruff signed 36 recommends. I wrote to Bro. James Jack and asked him to let Elizabeth have her Monthly allowance for June and July today; because she has several things to purchase I also got Sophias allowance for June & sent it to her by Bro Cushing with a note. My Sons Joseph & Wilford called on me this afternoon and I had some conversation with him about his personal affairs. I urged upon him the necessity of his getting married. I called on my wife Elizabeth at Bro McHenry's this evening and stayed for an hour. Joseph proposes starting home in the morning with the two Mares I have bought & the colt. (p. 25)

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Tuesday June 4, 1889. I attended to our Mail Matter. Prest Woodruff signed 20 recommends. A telegram was received from Bro. John Morgan at Meridian saying he had the body of Bro. Alma P. Richards who has been missing so long, and he would leave for home this morning. I had a conversation with Bro. Karl. G. Maeser, about my son Joseph & Daughter Mary. He is very anxious for them to have positions as teachers in the Church Schools. At 2 p m. with Prests. Woodruff, Cannon & Smith, I met with Judge Elliott Sandford & his wife who called with Bro & Sister F. S. Richards to pay their respects. they are very agreeable people and quite friendly to us. Mr Daniel Junius Brown, of Chicago called to bid adieu as he purposes leaving for his home. Bro Charles H Oliphant and his daughters Sabina & May - called to see me. I was much pleased to meet with them, as I have not seen him for over 5 years. He purposes leaving Kanab to move to Emery County. I obtained for him a recommend for his wife Lucinda A Judd Oliphant to obtain her 2nd anointings. I received a Note from Sophia she is not very well.

Wednesday June 5, 1889 Pres' Woodruff signed 16 recommends. I attended (p. 26) to our Mail. By telegrams from Bro John Morgan at Shreveport, La. we learn that he expects to be at this city with Bro. Richards body on Friday evening. Pres' Woodruff signed some 15 certificates of Normal Teachers for the Church Schools from the Brigham Young Academy, among the rest one for my son Joseph W. His certificate shows, For Theology 91% Theory of Teaching 85 - Grammar & Composition 80.- Reading 77 - Object Lessons 85 - Arithmetic 77 - Geography 81 - Drawing & Singing 60 - Writing 82 - Spelling 65 - Hygiene 82 Calisthenics. Passed. General Efficiency 79. We learn that Judge Zane has telegraphed the atty. Gen. or the Pres-

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ident recommending E. A. Ireland for U. S. Marshall a telegram was sent to Judge Jere M. Wilson at Washington D. C. to do all he can to prevent.

Thursday June 6, 1889. Pres' Woodruff had a bilious attack last night at his farm home and he is not well this morning Pres' Geo Q Cannon signed 23 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter. I recd a letter from My Son Joseph in regard to the Cox land & Bro W. Cox called upon me with his deeds & a deed made to me by himself & wife. It appears that he bought of this land from (p. 27) John Stevenson. 15 acres for \$200.00 farm.

Myron Tanner. (2 five acres)(sic) 10	"	"	150.00	Meadow.
S. Holdaway & wife. 14 48/100	"	"	255.00	"
Wm. Fawcett. 2 50/100	"	"	35.00.	"
John E. Booth. 2 50/100	"	"	40.00	"
John Madsen, Wife & Son. 23.24	"	"	300.00	Pasture
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67.72/100	"	"	\$980.00.	

On examining the descriptions of the deeds and making a plot of the land, I found that the dees (sic--deeds) from Fawcett & Booth covered the same ground as one of the 5 acres deeded by M. Tanner. This I explained to Bro. Cox & gave him my plot. I requested him to see the Recorder of Utah. County and have him examine the deeds and make me a certificate that the titles are correct in Bro W Cox when they are made right, and then have a deed for the whole made to me, with a transfer of the water shares and I will have his money ready for him and take possession of the place in 2 Months or when the grain crop is taken off the ground. I to have the hay & 1/2 of the fruit. This he said he would do. I wrote to my Son Joseph on this subject & requested him to also see that the Deeds were all right. I also wrote to My daughter Mary. Apostles F D Richards reported the labors

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of himself & Bro H J. Grant while attending the Utah Stake Conference June
1st 2 & 3rd/89 and (p. 28) gave the names of the High Council as re-organ-
ized as follows.

James E. Daniels.	Provo.	Set apart by	F D R
Charles D Evans.	Springville	"	H. J. G.
Charles Monk.	Spanish Fork	"	F D R
Edward Partridge.	Provo	"	H. J. G.
Wm D Robinson.	American Fork	"	F. D. R
W. H Dusenberry.	Provo		H. J. G
C. D Glazier.	"		F D R
Moroni L Pratt.	"		H J G
Wm H. King.	"		F D R
Wm Smith Tanner.	Payson		F. D. R
Albert Jones.	Provo. not present -		
James T. Thorne.	Pleasant Grove "		

Alternates.

Abraham Halladay.	Provo	by	H. J. G
Samuel Liddiard	"		F. D. R
Jacob F. Gates	"		H J G
Jos. B. Keeler	"		F D R
Josiah W. Cluff	"		H J G.
James W. Bean	"		H J G.
Evan Mide Bp of 2nd Ward	"		F D R
Simon P. Eggertson Jr. <u>1st</u> Coun to Bp	" (Provo)		A. O S.
Alexr. Wilkins <u>2nd</u> " " " "	" " " "		H J G. (p. 29)
Thomas Allman	Provo <u>1st</u> Coun. to Pres of	H. P. Quorum	
	by	F D R.	
Geo Halliday Bishop of American Fork Ward		H J.G	
Geo Cunningham <u>1st</u> Coun to Bp -	"	A O S.	
Stephen L. Chipman 2 " " - "	"	F. D. R.	

This morning I arranged with Bro B. H. Schetter Cashier of Z.S.B.&T.Co.
to get \$1500.00 at 8% - per annum to pay for my 30 shares of Bank Stock
purchased from the Church's portion of that Stock. Afterwards Pres' Geo.
Q. Cannon informed me that he could let me have the money at 6% on call,
which I accepted & gave him my note payable 1 day after date for \$1500.00
at 6% interest per annum - and took his check on the Z. S. Bank. I
attended the Usual Meeting of the Presidency and apostles at 2 p.m. It
was decided to let the large Tabernacle free for a concert in aid of the

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Johnstown sufferers. I rode out for an hour this evening & called on Sophia. for a short time. found her feeling better left her a bottle of Alcohol.

Friday June 7, 1889 Pres' Woodruff is feeling some better this morning.

I am well, and attended to our Mail Matter. Pres' Jos. F Smith signed 27 recommends. By telegram from Bro John Morgan at Pueblo, Col. we learn that the body of Bro. Alma P. Richards will reach Ogden, Saturday Morning at 9.30 oclock. the family were so informed. I have been quite busy today.

Saturday June 8/89 Pres' Woodruff was taken with a severe attack this (p.30)

Morning. Pres' Geo. Q. Cannon called upon him & sent for as many of the Twelve Apostles as were in the City. Bros Richards & Grant went down and administered to him. He soon got relief and was much better. Pres Cannon came to the Gardo Office, and he signed 17 recommends. It was decided to close the Manti Temple for renovating &c. on Friday July 19 to open again on Monday August 26th I so notified Pres' D. H. Wells by letter. A number of public letters were answered. I also wrote to C. A. Hunt, and sent a telegram to Bro John Henry Smith at Kanab informing him that Bro A. P. Richards body would reach home to-night & the funeral would be at 2 p.m tomorrow. Pres' Woodruff is much better this evening. I went down to Sophia's this evening - found them all well

Sunday June 9th 1889 Spent the day in reading & conversation & walked back to the Gardo this evening. about 2 1/2 miles Bro Jos F. Smith also returned this evening.

Monday June 10th 1889. Pres' Woodruff is much better this morning. I attended to our Mail matter & Pres Smith signed 24 recommends & I signed

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4 recommends (p. 31) L. C. Mariger of Kanab by letter dated June 4th informs me that I have to my credit in the Kanab Co-op Store \$119.41 & that he will give me \$125.00 for my claim with all dividends to go with it. I answered his letter and agreed to take \$125.00 as offered. Bro. C. H. Wilcken called & explained why he did not call for me on Saturday & Sunday nights. some of his folks were sick Leonard called this evening his family & himself are all well.

Tuesday June 11, 1889. Pres Geo Q Cannon reported that Pres' W. Woodruff is much better this morning, I attended to our Mail matter & Pres' Smith signed 10 recommends. I met with the Board of Zions Savings Bank and Trust Company, when it was decided to accept of the draft of the building as submitted by Architect. D. C. Young. estimated to cost nearly \$100,000.00 The Centreville brick for the outside and the Brain & Atwood brick for the inside were accepted. Bro John. D. T. McAllister of St. George. called he is well in health. his wife Helen is very sick. A large concert was given in the Tabernacle this evening the proceeds being for aid of the Johnstown (p. 32) and Seattle sufferers. I received a letter from Elizabeth all well at home. I answered her letter.

Wednesday June 12, 1889. All well. I attended to our mail matter. and Prest Smith signed 25 recommends. I attended a meeting of Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co Directors at 1 p m. Had talk on raising funds to build the New Building, several propositions were made but none decided. A Meeting was held by Pres Cannon & Smith with Bros. Jos. S. Rawlins, Charles Haun - John Mackay, Peter Reid & Jos. W Summerhays the Presidents of the Several Canal Company myself present to enquire into the claim of Salt Lake City for 1/6 of the water of the river. Bro C. H. Wilcken also

present. after hearing these brethren it was concluded to meet again tomorrow with the Members of the City Council at 10 a.m.

Thursday June 13, 1889. I attended to our Mail matter. Prest Cannon signed 11 recommends. I attended the meeting called for 10 a.m. and we were in session until 6 p.m. with a short recess at noon. At the close it was moved that the First Presidency appoint a committee of 7 to take the whole matter under advisement and see if they cannot form some basis of settlement. (p. 33) of this water difficulty subject to the approval of the contending parties. At the request of Bro. Isaac M. Waddell, I signed 13 Deeds of Church property as one of the Trustees of the Estate of the late Prest John Taylor deceased. the other Trustees having signed.

Friday June 14, 1889. President W. Woodruff came to the office this morning. he is feeling much better but quite weak. He attended to some of his personal business. He signed 15 recommends. I attended to our mail matter. The letters received and which have not been acted upon were read. and decided upon. Elder F. D. Richards submitted the manuscript of the translation of the Book of Mormon in the French language. Prest Woodruff signed 15 certificates of Stock of Z. S. B & T. Co. two of which are for myself for 50 shares. I wrote to Sophia and got a letter from her & bought a pair of shoes for Willie. Bro McHenry called for me with a horse & cart & took me for a drive for an hour. I received a check #37 for \$3750. also check #38 for \$1484.25 also check #50 for \$5.25 also check #51 for \$207.80 all dated June 11/89 on the Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Company. as dividends on the Bullion Beck & Champion Ming (sic) Cos Stock. (p. 34) Prest. Woodruff went home this evening. he felt better for coming up today. Pres' Cannon & Smith also went home.

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Saturday, June 15, 1889. Prest Cannon came to the office & signed 43 recommends - I attended to our Mail matter, a number of public letters were answered. I recd a letter from Elizabeth all well at home. I wrote to Elizabeth. I received from Bro James Jack 2 certificates of Stock in Zion's Saving's Bank & Trust company. one #27 for 30 Shares of \$100.00 each. and one #28 for 20 Shares of \$100.00 each. for these I have paid \$937.50 cash in Oct 1887. also \$150000 cash on June 6/89 & \$62.50 to-day, this amt. charged to my a/c at the Presidents office. the \$150000 I hired from Prest G. Q. Cannon (a) 6% interest on from ^{June} 6/89. Bp Geo Romney. fell at the 11th Ward School House this morning. broke his arm at the elbow, dislocated his hip, had a very severe shock. It is feared he will lose the use of his right arm. I drove to Sophia's this evening with Bro Lehi Pratt. found all well.

Sunday June 16, 1889 I spent the day in reading & conversation. Bro Wilken called for me in the evening & I returned with him. Bro Jos F Smith also returned this evening. (p. 35)

Monday, June 17, 1889. Prests. Woodruff, Cannon & Smith at the office. I attended to our Mail Matter & Pres' Woodruff signed 20 recommends. A number of public letters were received and some of them answered. It was decided to purchase the J. C. House ranch for \$1200000 (this adjoins the Roscoe ranch on Battle Creek in Idaho) (sic) also to organize a company so that this whole property may be owned by a company and relieve the Church from holding Real Estate. Prest Woodruff went to the Theatre this evening. I walked down to Bro Joseph Watson's residence & staid 1 1/2 hours with him & wife & sister Barratt.

Tuesday June 18, 1889 The Presidency are at the office to-day. I attended

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to our Mail Matter. The President signed 30 recommends, and 30 Certificates of. Z. C. M. I. Stock, as the President An order for \$2500 was sent with a letter to Bro Peter W. Conover, Provo. This amount was appropriated to him payable at Springville T. O. as per his request to me of June 4th Thos Vincent of Provo called at the office wishing to see me, but I did not care about seeing him. Bro W D Johnson Jr of Diaz, Mexico, called and I spent an hour in conversation with him. he promised to call again & bring his wife Lucy with him. (p. 36) I went to the Theatre this evening & saw the Thather Primrose & West Minstrels.

Wednesday June 19th 1889. I attended to our Mail matter. Prest Woodruff signed 32 recommends. We received a number of letters which were answered I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z. S. B. & T. Co. it was decided to increase the capitol Stock \$50,00000 so as to make a building fund. I received letters from Elizabeth & Geo A Shumway. all well at home. they write about trading his house & lots in Provo for a farm on the Provo Lake bottom. I answered both their letters. Sister Roueche & Lizzy called to see me this afternoon & I spent a short time with them, & handed Josephines orders to her to date - I spent the evening in conversation with Prest Joseph F Smith relating our family affairs &c. Elder Brigham Young came tonight and slept with me.

Thursday, June 20, 1889. Prest Woodruff signed 29 recommends. I attended to our mail matter. I sent a note to Sophia by Bro Cushing. I attended the usual Prayer circle meeting of the Presidency (p. 37) and Apostles at 2 p m - It was decided that the Presiding Bishopric be authorized to bid \$40100 per month for the Church Farm on the call for bids of Marshal Dyer as Receiver &c. This has been a very busy day.

Friday, June 21st 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest Woodruff signed 15 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. I received letters from Elizabeth and Mary, and obtained a Railway pass for Elizabeth from Provo & return, and wrote to her & sent the pass. The following named brethren were selected as the Committee of 7 to enquire into the matters of the Jordan Dam and water rights of the several Canals. viz:

John Fewson Smith.	City Canal
Isaac M Stewart	Draper "
Jos. W Summerhays,	Mills & ditches below the dam.
Samuel Bennion.	North Jordan Canal.
Isaac Wardle.	South " "
Peter Reid.	West " "
George D Pyper.	City.

The Presidency all left this evening. I walked out for over an hour. I wrote to P. W. Conover in answer to a letter received from him. (p. 38)

Saturday June 22, 1889. I am alone this morning, and attended to our Mail matter. I signed 10 recommends to the Temples. Have not had a very busy day. I left this evening with Bro. D. R. Bateman & drove to Sophias

Sunday June 23, 1889. I spent the day in conversation & reading and returned with Bro. Bateman this evening. Bro Joseph F. Smith also returned this evening.

Monday June 24, 1889. Prests Woodruff & Cannon came this morning. Prest Woodruff signed 18 recommends. I also attended to our Mail matter. I received a letter from L. C. Mariger, Kanab. June 18th/89 enclosing a check on the Deseret National Bank No 469. for \$125.00 in payment of my interest \$119.41 in the Kanab Co-op Store and accrued dividends on the same to date for which I sent him a receipt also an answer to his letter. Bp John R. Winder called & reported that the Church Farm had been leased to him by the Supreme Court on his bid of \$40100 per month. Hon John T. Caine

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called for me this evening with his horse & Carriage accompanied by his Wife & daughter Martie. & we drove down to & around Liberty Park and back to his residence where I staid until 11 p m in conversation. he (p. 39) then brought me to quarters in his carriage.

Tuesday June 25, 1889 I attended to our Mail Matter. Prest. Woodruff signed 32 recommends - I recd letter from Elizabeth, Eleanor & J. E. Booth. and answered Elizabeth & sent her an order for 20 bushels of Wheat. My daughter Mary called on me this evening, and brought letters from Joseph & G. A. Shumway - she stayed in conversation until 8 p.m. She is at the City attending the Convention of Teachers from Salt Lake, Utah & Weber Counties which holds forth for four days. She attended a meeting this evening. Bro John Beck arrived this morning & called to see us.

Wednesday June 26, 1889 Pres' Woodruff went to Ogden this morning along with the Old Folks Excursion. I attended to our Mail matter & signed 3 recommends Prest. Smith also signed 3 recommends. I was present at the meeting of Directors of Z.S.B.&T.Co. at 1 p.m. Bro Sheets called this afternoon with a note from Sophia, and after conversing with him, I concluded it will be best for her to move from her present quarters tonight for safety I wrote to her to this effect, also arranged with Bro J. A. Cushing to go with his horse & buggy tonight to move her. (p. 40) I handed to Bro B. H. Schettler to put in the Zion's Savings Bank \$185.75 he also took my bank book to enter up my interests. My daughter Mary called this evening and spent an hour in conversation. Bro Cushing brought Sophia to Bro Rod. Badgers and I called to see her this evening. a short time. We have not decided where she will go or what we will do.

Thursday, June 27, 1889. This is the anniversary of the Martyrdom of the

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Prophet Joseph Smith & his brother Hyrum Smith at Carthage, Ill. June 27, 1844. I attended to our Mail matter, and Prest. Woodruff signed 29 recommends. He also signed 12 Licenses of Teachers in the Church Schools, as Prest of the Church Board of Education. A number of public letters were answered - Mary called for an hour & took supper with us. I called on Sophia for an hour we have not yet found what we can do. I wrote to my son Joseph in reply to his letter recd June 25/89. I attended the Prayer circle meeting with the Presidency this afternoon. (p. 41) Bishop James Watson of the 19th Ward died this evening at 8.30 O'clock, of Inflammation of the bowels and Typhoid Fever. He has only been sick a few days.

Friday. June 28/89 Prest Woodruff signed 17 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. and received a letter from Elizabeth, all well at home. She comes up tonight. I recd a letter from L.C. Mariger, Kanab, asking me to mail to him my certificate in the Kanab Co-op Store. Bro. Brimhall, of Provo, called to see me in regard to Mary's being engaged as a teacher at Provo, also upon School Matters in general. He promised to do all for Mary that he can. Sophia has been arranging to-day with Bro. Cushing for a safe and proper place to go to, and finally decided to go to Sister Emma Birds 226. I. St. City. she goes there this evening. This seems to be very opportune. Bro Lehi Pratt took me down to my son Leonards to night where I met Elizabeth & Son Wilford - and the family all well --

Saturday June 29th 1889 Bro Cushing brought me our Mail Matter which I attended to and signed 23 recommends to the Temples. and spent the day in reading conversation & (p. 42)

Sunday June 30, 1889. I spent the day with the folks, Thomas also called.

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I returned to the Cardo this evening with Bro McHenry who called for me. Mary was with us part of the day.

Monday July 1, 1889. The Presidency at the office this morning. Bro J F. Smith returned last night. I attended to our mail matter & Prest Woodruff signed 14 recommends arrangements were completed for the Presidency & portions of their families & others to go to the Church Quarry on the 4th of July. Pres Smith & myself to go by Carriage & team on Wednesday evening, the others by D & R G. Railway on Thursday morning. I attended the Meeting of the Directors of Z S B & T Co at 11 am. It was decided to continue the loan of John Beck of \$41,50000 on his Hot Springs property for 15 months if he so desires it. This afternoon I met with the First Presidency Bros. John Q. Abraham H. & Frank J. Cannon. B Y. Hampton, Alfred Solomon, John Wilcken, Jos. Booth, Chas D. Haun & Jos. S Giles to consider the organization of a company to Stake out the Waters of the Sevier River near the settlement of Deseret in Millard Co. for the purpose of taking said water out onto a tract of land (p. 43) containing one Township. A company was organized called the Deseret & Salt Lake Agricultural and Manufacturing Canal Company. Articles of Incorporation were adopted and the following named persons elected as Trustees until the next general election. viz: Jos. S. Black, Wm V. Black, A. H. Cannon, Chas H. Wilcken, B. Y. Hampton & (sic) Alfred Solomon & Andrew Jensen - 10% of the Capital Stock of \$50,00000 was paid in being \$5,00000 I gave my note for \$50000 payable 3 days after date. and I proposed to take one Section of the land under the Desert Land Entry Sec 22- T. 16S. R 8 West, 640 acres. Arrangements were also made for the entry of at least 12 Sections of land tomorrow at the U. S. Land Office. I think this is a

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good move. Elizabeth Mary, Wilford Leonard & Family & Thomas & family went to Syracuse on an excursion today I obtained a Commercial Pass for Mary on the D. & R. G. Railway through Bro W. C. Spence. I wrote to Sophia & got an answer she is feeling well & quite comfortable in her new quarters. I paid \$2.50 for her Water right to Bro B. Y. Hampton. I called at Bro McHenry's this evening saw Elizabeth & Mary and arranged with Elizabeth for her to go to the Land Office and enter the land at Deseret in her name also for Leonard to go along with her. The Articles of Incorporation were filed with the Probate Clerk Aug 30, 1889. (p. 44)

Tuesday July 2nd 1889. I attended to our Mail Matter and Prest. Woodruff signed 21 recommends. Leonard called to see me and I explained to him about going with Ma to enter the land &c They went and had it attended to. Sec 22. T. 16S. R 8 W 640 acres. I drew from Z.S.B.&T.Co. \$16500 to pay for the first payment of 25% per acre & the fees. Rec letter & photo from C A Hunt. I wrote to Joseph & sent him \$16.25 to pay for Lumber & Posts for fence on my city Lot at Provo. Elizabeth, Mary & Wilford called for a short time to see me before they left for home this evening. they went on the D & R G. 7 p m train. I called on Sophia for a short time this evening. Bro A O Smoot called today and asked for Council on political Matters at Provo - arrangements were made for a Meeting to be held next Friday at 12 m of the Presidents of Stakes, chairman of County committees and other leading men to be held at the Presidents office to make suitable arrangements so as to get the proper men for the Legislature put into Nominations Telegrams & letters were sent to these brethren notifying them of the Meeting. This has been a very busy day. Pres' Woodruff & Geo Q Cannon & others also went to the Land office this Morning

& entered their Deseret Land. (p. 45)

Wednesday July 3, 1889. The Presidency at the Office. I attended to our Mail. Pres Woodruff signed 16 recommends. Elder John Morgan reported briefly his trip in finding the body of the late Elder Alma P Richards. He has no doubts but what Bro Richards was murdered and his body afterwards put onto the railway track so as to be run over by the train. ✓ Mr Lars Peterson of Independence Mo. called & said he had received a revelation pertaining to the redemption of Zion in Jackson Co Mo. He was a member of the Church several years ago & lived in Cache Valley, had 2 wives, worked as a carpentor on St George Temple, left the Territory some 12 years ago went East. was baptized & confirmed by David Whitmer Prests Woodruff & Cannon gave him some very strong talk after recounting his apostacy and Pres Cannon told him that he was destroyed (sic), and that his threats of this people being destroyed by the Gentiles would not take place, and that if he did not change his course the wrath of the Almighty would overtake him and he would be destroyed. Mr Peterson finding that he could not make any impression upon these brethren and being spoken to so plainly he left in a very excited manner. (p. 46) The payment of the Church Note for \$5000000 at McCormicks Bank due tomorrow with the interest was paid. and new arrangements made at Z S Bank At 520 p m. Pres Jos F Smith & wife Sarah & little boy and baby, and myself with Bro Chas H. Wilcken as driver stated for Wasatch - The Church Quarry in Little Cottonwood Canyon, after a pleasant drive we arrived at 830. Sister Preston provided us some supper although we had been eating on the way. Before leaving Bro Walter Cox from Provo called on me and wished me to let him have \$50000 on account of the land I purchased from him on Provo Lake Bottoms Survey. He had not yet been able to make

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me out a deed because he had not yet received a deed for our 5 acres from Bro Ezra Curtis. After consideration & urging him to let me have the deed I let him have \$500.00 and took his note for the same. I got this money for a few days from Sophia I promising to return it to her in a few days, because when I get the deed I shall make the full payment for the land & then refund hers. Bro Cox seemed very thankful as he needed the money just now. (p. 47) Bro Wilken & I made our bed in Bro Jos F. Smiths tent and was very comfortable. Bro Smith & wife being comfortably provided in Bp. Burton's tent.

Thursday July 4th 1889 This is a beautiful Morning I walked around the place and found it much improved to what it was when I was here before with Pres' Taylor & party. although there are only some 9 quarry men now laboring here when at that time there were some 40 or 50. At 930 the train arrived bringing one car of passengers. the Engine returned twice for the other 2 cars to the Mouth of the Kanyon some 2 miles which took until 10 a m. there were some over 100 passengers in all. The Quarry men had drilled some holes in a large rock, which when charged with powder & properly tamped, when touched off made a loud report. Lunch was served on tables set in the new and spacious bowery by Bro James Livingston & wife & sisters Hilton, Naisbett & others of the folks at the Quarry in the employ of Bro Livingston all the party sat down and partook of the repast. afterwhich recess was taken till 2 p.m. at which time all assembled. in the Bowery. Pres Jos F Smith offered prayer & Prests Woodruff, Cannon & Smith (p. 48) & Bp R T. Burton spoke afterwhich I sang the Medley Song, and I also lead out in signing the Grandeur. of Zion the congregation joining and then dismissed by prayer to go forward in the dance which was engaged in. interspersed

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with songs & recreations until 6 oclock when refreshments were again passed around and all partook. Lemonade was freely provided all the afternoon. After which Pres' Woodruff & Cannon Bros Nuttall McKenzie & others went up the Kanyon for a mile to the upper Rock Quarry on the train cars & returned. At 7.30 p. m. the train being in readiness the party left for the City. Pres' Jos. F Smith & myself being permitted by Prest Woodruff to remain until Sunday night. Portions of the families of Prests Woodruff, Cannon & Smith, & the clerks at the Tithing Office - Bros. D. McKenzie - A. M Mussen Kirkman - Larsen, D Hilton & others - Bp W. B. Preston was master of ceremonies under the bowery. I spent a fine day but was tired at night. I wrote to Sophia & sent my letter by Bro S. Sudbury.

Friday July 5, 1889 Bro C. H. Wilcken with Bp Preston left for the city at 5 a. m. Bro Wilcken expecting to return for us on Sunday so that we can return that evening. (p. 49) After breakfast Prest Smith & I clim(b)ed up the side of the Mountain, picked service berries & red currants & returned about 1 oclock, took a rest & in the evening went fishing. we did not catch any but Bro Livingston's Son gave us some that he caught. At the Office Pres' Woodruff & Cannon held a meeting with the Presidents of Stakes & other leading men on Political matters and were in session from 12 to 6 p. m.

Saturday July 6, 1889. This is the 55th anniversary of my birth. On arising (sic) from my bed, I returned thanks to the Lord for bringing me to see this day. Although I do not have my full liberty. Yet I am grateful for that liberty I do enjoy, also for the many blessings I have received from the Lord and for my wives & Children & their children. I dedicated myself & family to the Lord and prayed for His Mercies for the future,

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because I know that myself & all I have are in his hands to be used as He may direct. Bros Smith, Preston & myself went up to the Quarry at 11 oclock to see the men split open a large rock which was very nicely done. Bro Preston returned on this mornings train - This afternoon I picked some service berries and staid around camp. spent the evening in singing Bro Prestons daughter May & Sister Martineau taking part. (p. 50)

Sunday. July 7, 1889. We remained in camp all day, there being several visitors come up from Sandy, and other places. We had a very nice rain this afternoon. Bro Lehi Pratt came with the team & carriage & brought up some of Bro Smiths children. Bro Smith & wife Sarah - & baby. Myself & Bro Pratt, left at 7.30 p. m. and arrived at the Gardo House at 10. we had a nice drive the part of the journey, but considerable dust the latter part.

Monday July 8, 1889. I am feeling much better for my out. the Shortness of breath which was troubling me has been removed. The Presidency at the office this morning. I attended to our mail matter and find an accumulation of the past 4 days. Prest Woodruff signed 29 recommends Some public letters were answered. The First Presidency agreed to indorse a Note of the Hawaian (sic) Colonization Commity (sic) for \$500000 at Zion's Saving's Bank to make the first payment on their purchase of the Scull Valley Ranch. Bro McHenry called to see me. he is going to Provo with his wife & children tomorrow to visit with my folks there.

Tuesday July 9th 1889. I received a letter from Elizabeth all well at home I attended to our Mail matter. Prest Woodruff signed (p. 51) 14 recommends. Bro W. D. Johnson, Jr. called & made explanations to Pres Smith & myself. of the proposition of Bro. John W. Young, to sell a part of his claim adjoining the Diaz Colony of Saints, in Chihuahua, Mexico,

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wherin he offers to sell:

13,000 acres of land @ 100 per acre \$13,000.00

15,000 acres " " " 250 per acre 37,500.00

and take for his pay. \$50,500.00

Stock already received about \$25,000.00

Cash 12,500.00

Bal on Tithing pay. grain Hay &c 13000.00

\$50,500.00

and refusal on reasonable terms for land on West side of River for \$1.50

per acre to Espier. A meeting of the Presidency & Apostles J. H Smith &

H. J. Grant and members of the Territorial & County Central committees of

the People's Party was held at 10 a m in the Parlor. I also attended.

The names for nomination for County officers were decided upon. viz.

Orrin P. Miller for one of the Select-men.

Richard Howe " " " "

Leonard G. Hardy - County Collector.

Wm M Stewart. Co Supt of Dist. Schools. I called on Sophia for an hour
this evening. (p. 52)

Wednesday, July 10, 1889. We are having very warm weather. Pres' Wood-
ruff signed 17 recommends. I attended to the mail. I attended the meeting
of Directors of Z. S B & T. Co. at 1 p m. 3% was allowed D. C. Young as
Architect on the New Bank Building. Iron Columns were ordered from Silver
Bros. and the establishment of a Deposit Safe was referred to the Building
committee. I received from Bro Thos. J Parker \$1800 that being 40 cents
per head on 45 Sheep, which he has of mine in his herd for the past year.
He gave me a certificate showing how many sheep he has of mine & agreeing

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to pay me 50 cents per head for the next year & Keep the old Stock good. Bro W. D. Johnson Jr. & his wife Lucy, & their little daughter, called to see me & staid about half an hour. I recd a letter from Bro. James G. Bleake, of St George, & answered it. Bro McHenry brought me a letter from Elizabeth this evening & I rode out with him for an hour. This has been a busy day.

Thursday July 11, 1889 The Presidency at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 15 recommends. I attended to our mail. Laroy Harris of Glendale son of Silas Harris called & represented that he had received manifestations calling to go to Tonto Basin, Arizona and there obtain the Plates of Nephi (p. 53) which have not been translated. That he was directed to come to the Presidency of the Church to be ordained and set apart for this work. after conversing with him by Pres Woodruff & Cannon Prest Woodruff told him that he had not received any manifestations of this Kind and he did not those that Bro Harris had received were from the right source. It was not necessary for him to be ordained to get those plates. Bro Harris insisted that he was not mistaken, but no further action was taken. It was decided to purchase the land in Mexico offered by Bro John W. Young on the terms proposed by him, and the Presiding Bishopric were authorized to proceed & make the purchase, and arrange for payments & obtain good and sufficient deeds. Bros W. W. Cluff - F. A. Mitchell & H. H. Cluff of the Hawaiian (sic) Colonization Committee called with their note for \$5000.00 on Z. Savings. Bank, which they signed & Prest Woodruff, Cannon & Smith endorsed the said note as surities^(sic) in their official Capacity. I attended the usual Prayer Meeting of the Presidency and Apostles at 3 p.m - Bro. John E. Booth, was set apart for his mission to Preside in the Northern States Mission. by

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the First Presidency. Bro Jos F Smith mouth (p. 54) I called at Bro Joseph Watsons this evening found him & wife & Sister Barratt well. I expressed my condolence with them in the death of Bro James Watson. I staid for 2 hours. in conversation. they are becoming reconciled to their loss.

Friday July 12, 1889. I am well. attended to our mail matter. Prests Woodruff signed 15 recommends Prests Woodruff & Cannon had an interview with Mr Jerome A. Fillmore of San Francisco, Cal and Genl. Geo B. Williams of Washington, who had come for the purpose of seeing these brethren and learning in regard to the situation here politically and otherwise. They were in conversation from 945 to 1130 a m in the parlor of the Gardo. Bro H. B. Clawson was also present. I attended a meeting of the First Presidency. Elders F D Richards, John H Smith, H J Grant, Mayor Armstrong and others members of the Territorial & County Central Committees, City Council. officers elect &c. at 3 p m. Prests Woodruff & Cannon made some strong and pertinent remarks in regard to the apparent division and dissatisfaction among the members of the Peoples Party. Pres Cannon compared the situation to the parable of Jesus of the Man who sowed good seed in his field, and while his men slept his enemy (p. 55) came and sowed tares among his good seed & the weeds grew up &c. There appears to be ill feelings by the poor against the rich; also against the present members of the City Council, Water questions &c. The time has come for something to be done to reconcile the people. we must step forward and have a correct understanding and adopt measures that will meet the exigency of the case. Several of the brethren expressed their views and Pres Woodruff said, We are in this Territory through the providences of God and

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through revelation, and in conformity with the prophecies given through Holy Men as they were moved upon by the Holy Ghost. I see difficulty before this people if they do not acknowledge the Lord and His Priesthood. We must not be divided or we will be chastised. We have a class of men among us who are laboring for our overthrow and distinction. We need to counsel with one another and take counsel from the Lord. The Priesthood will rule over us forever, for it is the rule & government of God and will continue through all eternity. Bro A. W. Carlson referred to the proposition of organizing People's Party Clubs in the several Wards as a good way to get at the people to instruct & encourage them. (p. 56) This measure was fully approved and further action thereon was referred to the Terr. & Co. Central Committees. Adjourned at 6 p.m. The brethren of the Presidency all left this evening Elder F. M. Lyman called having just returned from a visit to the Saints in the Southern Settlements. The Company of Saints in charge of Elder Volker from Liverpool, Eng - arrived this afternoon. I wrote to Elizabeth and Joseph, and called on Sophia, this evening for an hour.

Saturday, July 13, 1889. I being alone today I attended to our Mail matter & signed 8 recommends to the Temples. I was not crowded with my work. I called on Sister Barratt a short time this evening and afterwards walked down to Leonards & staid all night. found them all well.

Sunday July 14, 1889 Spent the day in conversation, reading & resting.

This is the Anniversary of Sophias birthday. I pray the Lord to bless her and lengthen her days to see many happy returns of this day, in freedom & peace. Leonard & Thomas accompanied me to our quarters this evening.

(p. 57) Monday July 15th 1889. The Presidency present at the office.

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Pres Smith returned last night. All well. I attended to our Mail Matter. Pres' Woodruff signed 12 recommends. Pres' Geo Q Cannon & Pres W Woodruff occupied the time at the Tabernacle Meeting yesterday afternoon. We had some showers of rain this afternoon with considerable wind. Pres Joseph F. Smith has been arranging & getting ready to start for Logan to-day. to do some Temple work. he left this evening with Bro Albert Davis at 9 o'clock. Prest Woodruff gave me one of his Photos which I gave to Sophia this evening. I received tax notices for my Kanab property from H. S. Cutter.

\$2 F & John Ford, 50c

Tuesday July 16th 1889. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. I attended to our Mail. & Pres' Woodruff signed 2 recommends. Pres' Lorenzo Snow called on us to-day. I attended a Meeting with Prests Woodruff & Cannon at 2 pm. in the parlor of the Gardo, with the Directors of the Salt Lake & Deseret Agricultural & Mays Canal Co. Bro W. V Black made a statement of the preliminary (p. 58) survey of the canal, which will be some 16 feet deep at the river and come to the surface about 3 1/2 miles from the river. The proposed canal is to be 20 feet wide on the bottom. There is also an excellent place for making a reservoir in the river at a reasonable expense. The Directors afterwards made an assessment on the Stockholders of 10%, so as to commence work on the Canal forthwith and thus secure the first right to the unappropriated water of the Sevier River. Sister Dr. E B. Ferguson, called on me about 4 O'clock and informed me that Sophia was safely delivered of a fine large daughter this morning about 4 o'clock and that she is now doing quite well and everything is all right with her and the baby. I feel to thank the Lord for this good word and for His manifold blessings. I was also much pleased to see the Dr. for I have not

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seen her for nearly two years. She & family are all well and feel well. I wrote to Sophia. This has been a very fine day.

Wednesday July 17, 1889. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres'

Woodruff signed 4 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. Bp W B

Preston called & reported that he had arranged with Bros John W Young &

W D Johnson Jr for 15000 acres (p. 59) of John W's purchase laying North of the Diaz Colony and on the west side of the Casa Grande River to pay \$2.25 per acre instead of \$250 per acre. also the 13000000 at \$100 per acre. this

was approved I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z.S.B.&T.Co. at

1 p m and officiated as Secretary protem in the absence of Bro Geo Reynolds

I recd a letter from Elizabeth of the 14th also a deed from Bro W. Cox

& wife for 67 72/100 acres of land. without any explanation. I felt much

hurt in my feelings at this for I wanted to be assured from the Co Recorder that it was all right. I made a plot of the ground from the description &

could not make it come out right in one piece. I wrote a letter to E. &

sent the deed back to have my son Joseph have it examined & made correct

& get a certificate from the Co Recorder that the Records & deed were

all right. I went with Bro. Sudberry to the assembly Hall to a political Meeting this evening.

Thursday July 18, 1889. Prests Woodruff and Cannon at the office. I

attended to our Mail Matter & Pres' Woodruff signed 2 recommends. I

attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at 2 p m.

Bro S. S Jones of Provo called for a short time. I paid \$2525 for 5 Shares

of the People's Equitable Co-op Assn. and received letters from Elizabeth

and Mary all well at home. I called on Sophia & saw her daughter. (p.60)

they are doing well.

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Friday July 19, 1889. All well this morning. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 6 recommends and I attended to our Mail matter. Elders John Morgan & Wm Spry called and represented the condition of affairs in the Southern States. There is considerable ill feeling manifest against our Elders in some of the States, notably Mississippi. Pres' Woodruff gave positive instructions to these brethren that where there are such feelings shown the Elders should be permitted and directed to withdraw themselves and wash their feet against the people.

It is not necessary and the Lord does not require our Elders to jeopardize their lives in such places. Where Elders are withdrawn they can be sent to more favorable sections, and as some 30 or 35 Elders will be released this coming fall it will not be necessary to fill up their places with new Elders. The labors of the Elders will be taken from the Gentiles and given to the House of Israel. Bro James A Little of Kanab called I wrote to Elizabeth & Mary and C. A. Hunt, and this evening called on Bro & Sister Watson & Sister Barratt & Son Samuel. (p. 61)

Saturday July 20, 1889. Prest Geo Q Cannon at the office. He signed 4 recommends. I attended to our Mail - quite a number of public letters were answered to-day, There was a concert given at the Tabernacle this afternoon at 230 by honor of the presence of a party of Members of the U S. House of Representatives who arrived at this city last evening and are entertained by the Mayor & City Council. their names are Hon Geo W. E Dorsey of Nebraska, Hon Nathan Goff of West Virginia, Hon C. D. Hayden of Massachusetts Hon J C Burrows of Michigan, Hon J W Stewart of Vermont & others. Bro W. D. Johnson Jr. called. he purposes starting home next week. I recd a letter from Elizabeth and answered it. I had a talk with

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Pres Geo Q Cannon about his having a free talk and explanation with Bro M Thatcher of the B. B. & C M Cos. affairs. In the evening I walked down to Leonards.

Sunday July 21/89 I spent the day in conversation with Bro James A Little. Bro W. D. Johnson Jr. also called and with Leonard. This has been a very close, warm, sultry day. I returned to the Gardo House this evening Leonard accompanied me for company. (p. 62)

Monday July 22, 1889. Pres' Joseph F Smith returned to the Gardo last evening. Prest Woodruff & Geo. Q. Cannon went to Ogden yesterday to attend the Weber Stake Quarterly Conference to be there today also. Prest Smith signed 8 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. Prest. D. H. Wells came up from Manti Temple on Saturday evening and called at the office this morning he is well in health. Bro James Jack called and explained the business of the Salt Lake City Street Railway Company, as the Stock holders meet to-day. The company instead of issuing bonds to raise money to complete the new arrangements of the Road. have sold one third of the entire stock, and ask each stock holder to so dispose of $1/3$ of their stock to make the amount for this they will pay \$50.00 per Share and from this pay the assessment declared in May last & payable to-day of \$5.00 per share. also another assessment of 10% or \$5.00 per share and the balance in cash. This I agreed to do and sent Elizabeths certificate to her for her signature and wrote her a letter of explanation. I received my certificate of Stock for 5 Shares of the "People's Equitable Co-op. Assn." which I paid for last Thursday. This afternoon I read the following telegram from Provo. (p. 63) " To W. C Spence. "Tell Friend L. J. that Brother Allman died noon to-day. S. S. Jones. " To which I sent the following telegram

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"To S. S. Jones, Provo. "Give to Brother Allman's family my sincere condolence in their bereavement. May the Lord comfort them in their sorrow. A true friend husband and father, and one of God's noblemen has gone to rest. L. John Nuttall." I called on Sophia this evening and got her signature to her Street Railroad Certificate and afterwards rode out with Bro McHenry for an hour.

Tuesday July 23, 1889. The Presidency at the Office this morning. Prests Woodruff & Cannon returned from Ogden last evening. The President signed 2 recommends. I attended to our mail matter. It was decided to go on with the work of digging out the tunnels from the Salt Lake Temple to the Annex - also to the preparations for the building of the Annex & the architect to suggest such changes to the plans as he shall think proper.

Prof Karl G. Maeser of Provo called and I talked (p. 64) with him in regard to my daughter Mary taking a School at Mt Pleasant, Sanpete Co, He says he will get her a good situation. Leonard called and I obtained an extension of the time on Teenies ticket so that she can remain at Provo on her visit until the 31st if she desires. I recd a letter from Joseph of July 22 also enclosing a Certificate for 4 shares of "the Lake Bottom Canal Company" of \$5000 each - \$200.00 I called on Sophia this evening and blessed her baby and gave her the name of Mary Taylor. They are both getting along very well I had some conversation this evening with Pres Wm Budge he gave me a Kind invitation to go and visit with him at Bear Lake

Wednesday July 24, 1889 This is a holiday. all of the Presidency are away and I am alone. I spent the day in reading & resting & wrote out Mary T's blessing - I received a letter from Elizabeth & Joseph all are well at home, for which I am truly thankful. I spent some time today with

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Bro W. H Thompson of St George.

Thursday July 25, 1889 The Presidency are all at the Office. I attended (p. 65) to our Mail matter. Pres' Woodruff signed 5 recommends - Several appropriations were made in aid of the erection of some Meeting Houses as per letters which have been on file for some time. I attended a Meeting of the Board of Directors of Z S B & T Co. at 1 p m. Bro A. M Cannon asked for an explanation of the sale of the Church Stock in the Bank - this was not concluded but held over till next weeks meeting. Two Years ago to day President John Taylor died in exile, in consequence of the wicked persecutions of our enemies - I called at the residence of Dr Ferguson this evening for a short time saw her & Douglass & Clara, Douglass drove me to our quarters in their buggy.

Friday July 26th 1889. All well this morning. Pres Woodruff signed 1 recommend - I attended to our Mail. Pres' Woodruff & Cannon attended a Meeting of the Church Board of Education. from 10 a m till 1 p m Bro D. H. Wells called and the financial reports ^{for the Manti Temple for the first 6 months were} examined & corrected. I assisted Prest. D. H. Wells in setting apart for his Mission to Scandinavia Bro. Andrew Peter Anderson (p. 66) of the 22nd Ward, City. I wrote to Elizabeth & Joseph in reply to their letters. Bro James Jack brought me certificates of stock on the Salt Lake City Railway, and checks for the balance of the money after paying the last two assessments on the Stock of the Company one of May 16th & one of July 22/89. each for \$5.00 per Share. from the sale of shares which I agreed to sell. The Certificates are as follows also the checks: -

L. J N. #249 for 3 1/7 Shares sold 6 Shares.	check for \$184.30
E. C. N. #250 for 4 4/7 " " 8 " , " "	244.30
S. T. N. #251 for 2 5/7 " " 3 " , " "	72.90

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We each paid 12 1/2 cents per Share for expenses of Sale = \$4.30 This divided is L. J. N 1.40 E. C. N. 1.95 S. T. N 95¢ = \$4.30 I called on Sophia this evening.

Saturday, July 27, 1889. Presidents Woodruff & Cannon & Bro. A. Winter went by train this morning to Grantsville to attend the Tooele, Quarterly Conference, tomorrow & Monday. I attended to our mail matter and signed 1 recommend to the Temple. I went to Leonards this evening to stay tomorrow.

Sunday, July 28/89. I spent the day in reading, conversation &c. This evening Teenie & children returned by train from Provo, and brought me a letter from Joseph enclosing a (p. 67) deed from Bro W. Cox & wife for the land on the Provo Lake Bottom Survey. He also informs me that my wife Elizabeth has been quite sick with pain and vomiting. Teenie thinks she was some better when she left. I returned to the Gardo this evening.

Monday, July 29th 1889. Pres Jos. F Smith returned last night. He signed 2 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. My Son George A. came up from Provo on this Mornings train. He reports his Mother as being quite sick. I sent her a telegram asking if I should send Dr. Ferguson by this afternoons train. Which she answered saying, "No, think some easier will write to-night. E. N. ". I talked with George, about the Cox purchase & suggested that he arrange to build a two room frame house on the 15 acre piece, this fall, so that he can live there. He said he would do this. He spent most of the day with me & until 8 p.m. when he left to go to Leonards to stay all night & return home on the morning train. I called on Sophia a short time this evening and handed her the money recd from her railroad stock, sold.

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attended to our Mail Matter. Prest. Woodruff signed 4 (p. 68) recommends. I received a letter from Mary in which she says her mother is some better, not having so much pain and being able to retain some food. if she gets worse they will telegraph me. We have information that the U S Dist Atty, Marshal & Courts purpose arresting the Presidency, Twelve Presidents of Stakes Bishops & leading men generally and if they do not acknowledge to having put away their plural wives They will be considered as living in Unlawful Cohabitation and be punished accordingly. This is said to be Pres' Harrison's policy. We have had quite a number of callers today, and been very busy. I wrote to Elizabeth and sent letter by Mail This has been the hottest day of the year 102° in the Shade at the Signal Service Station.

Wednesday, July 31st 1889. The Presidency at the office to-day. Prest Woodruff signed 5 recommends. I attended to our Mail. Recd a letter from Clara. her Mother is some better & hopes to be up & around to-day. I wrote to Elizabeth and sent \$40.00 part of her Street Railroad Company money which I got from Bro J. Jack. We have had a number of callers to-day. which has been very warm. the Ther being 95° in the Shade. (p. 69) I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z.S.B & T. Co at 1 p.m. On Motion it was decided that all persons who have claims against the Bank for services, they should present their bills. I have served for several years on the Executive Committee. It was decided that the Church arrange to pay \$1200000 in 2 payments of from 30 to 60 days or longer if time can be obtained. on the first payments for the Scull Valley purchase for the Hawaiian Colony, as some of the natives do not feel willing to dispose of their real estate in this City & take the amount of Stock in the Colony.

Thursday August 1, 1889. Prest Woodruff left by this mornings train at

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6 oclock for Ogden, thence to Logan today - for the purpose of attending to some Temple Work prior to holding Conference next Saturday & Sunday. Prests Cannon & Smith at the office. Prest Smith signed 5 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. I received a letter from Clara, her mother is some better in her health. I wrote to Elizabeth. We had several callers - Prest. Geo. Q. Cannon left by this afternoon train for Ogden, to go on in the morning to Logan to Conference. (p. 70) I called on Sophia this evening for an hour.

Friday August 2, 1889 Prest Jos. F Smith at the office signed 3 recommends I attended to our Mail matter. I received a letter from Elizabeth she was some better, not receiving a telegram from her I sent one to ask if she was coming up this evening, & Mary answered that she was not so well today & would not come up today. Prest Jos F Smith asked me to accompany him by team to Wasatch this evening, but I felt that if I could not go to Provo while my wife was sick I would not go anywhere else for pleasure, although I felt that an out would do me good. I wrote to Elizabeth this evening. Prest. Smith & wife left with team at 5 p.m. It has been very warm again to-day. I have not been crowded with work.

Saturday Aug 3, 1889 I am alone to-day and it being very close and warm I dont feel much like work so took the day easy. I received letter from Elizabeth she is not very strong does not expect to come up this week - I also recd letter from Sophia, she wants to move again as soon as she can, Mrs Bird not being very agreeable. I went to Leonards tonight. he called & went with me. The Liberals held a torch light procession & grand rally tonight. (p. 71) I here give the night min. & day max. temperature since July 1st 1889.

N. Min. - day Max.		Night Min - Day Max.	
July 1 - 63 -	83	July 28 - 67.	94 1/2
" 2 - 52.	76	" 29 - 66.	94
" 3 - 57.	85	" 30 - 65.	99 (102°)
" 4 - 59.	97	" 31 - 80.	95
" 5 - 68.	98	Aug 1 - 69.	96
" 6 - 72.	88	" 2 - 72.	95
" 7 - 63.	85	" 3 - 73.	96
" 8 - 64.	86	" 4 - 72.	97
" 9 - 53.	87	" 5 - 75.	95 1/4
" 10 - 66.	92	" 6 - 68.	92
" 11 - 66.	93	" 7 - 72.	90
" 12 - 64.	96	" 8 - 69.	88
" 13 - 72.	94 1/2	" 9 - 66.	87
" 14 - 64.	95 1/2	" 10 - 62.	90
" 15 - 69.	92	" 11 - 71.	90
" 16 - 68.	90	" 12 - 70.	93
" 17 - 69.	93	" 13 - 74.	95
" 18 - 64.	94	" 14 - 67 -	95
" 19 - 61.	90	15 - 76 -	91
" 20 - 62.	93	16 - 73 -	90
" 21 - 67.	96	17 - 69.	89
" 22 - 73.	92		(p. 72)
" 23 - 66 -	92		
" 24 - 71.	92		
" 25 - 69.	94		
" 26 - 67.	96		
" 27 - 67.	96 1/2		

Sunday, August 4, 1889. I spent the day in conversation, reading &c - and returned to the Gardo office this evening. Leonard accompanied me. Prest Jos. F Smith also returned this evening. He came back from Wasatch on Saturday night in consequence of having received a telegram informing him of his Wife Marys child being sick. he died on Saturday evening before Bro Smith got there. and was buried last night.

Monday August 5, 1889. Elder B. Young joined us this morning. This is election day in this Territory for Members of the Legislature and some county officers - Pres' Smith signed 2 recommends. I received a letter from Elizabeth and answered it. I also wrote a petition to the Mayor & City Council of Provo City to furnish me with the water for my City Lots at

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Provo taken away by grading the East Street. I also sent her an order for \$30.60 on the Tithing Office at Springville in favor of Bro Wm H. Kelsey for fruit for Elizabeth, as per his bill forwarded. I wrote to Sophia - Prest Woodruff & Cannon returned from Logan this afternoon at 3.30 oclock. Bro Job Pingree of Ogden called. he having returned from Liverpool last evening. He & family have been very friendly to Sophia & I was glad to meet him (p. 73) From the election returns to-day it appears that the Liberals have a Majority of votes in Salt Lake City. They made night hideous tonight with their yells, drums, tin pans, tin horns, cowbells, torch lights & fireworks &c. marching through the streets until after 1 o'clock in the Morning, while I was looking at them pass the house, one man aimed two Roman Candles at the house. We are informed that it is the intention of the U. S Dist. Atty C. S. Varian, and U S Marshal Parsons to commence their raids upon the leading brethren right soon after the election. Pres' Geo. Q. Cannon, A. M. Cannon, C. W Penrose, John Nicholson & H B. Clawson are expecially named. also Prest Jos F. Smith is spoken of as needed by them. I called on Sophia this evening for an hour.

Tuesday August 6th 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest Woodruff signed 9 recommends. I authorized Geo. Reynolds to vote my shares of Stock at the Meetings of the B. B. & C. M. Co. I paid Bro Geo. Q. Cannon the \$1500.00 I got from him on June 6th also \$1500 interest. I drew from Z.C.M.I. on my deposit there \$2683.56 & interest \$60.25 = 2743.81. I also (p. 74) paid Sophia her \$45000 which I got from her for Bro Cox. and deposited the balance with \$18000 in gold. \$6000 in Currency & check for \$37.50. A number of public letters were written to-day.

Wednesday, Aug 7, 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest Woodruff signed

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I recommend. I attended to our Mail matter. I attended a Meeting of the Directors of Z.S.B & T.Co at 1 p m. I received letters from Elizabeth & Joseph. E is progressing favorably in her health, and hopes to be able to come up next Friday. Bro W. Cox of Provo called to see me about the land purchase from him. he hopes to get the abstract of title next Monday & send it to me. I had a good talk with him & asked him to make me a bill of Sale for the Mower: Hay rake, Cultivator, Double Harrow &c. which were on the place which he promised to do. I agreed to let him have the money as soon as everything was put right. The weather has been some cooler to-day which is very agreeable. (p. 75)

Thursday, August 8, 1889. The Presidency at the Office this morning also Elder B. Young. Pres. Woodruff signed 8 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. Elders W. W. Cluff. F. A. Mitchell & H. H. Cluff, called and reported they had completed the organization of the Hawaiian Colony Company & the Directors had filed their bonds. I attended the Prayer Circle meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at 2 p.m. The following decisions were arrived at on questions of the Brethren of the Hawaiian Committee: F. A. Mitchell, Henry P. Richards, & Albert W. Davis to be the Executive Committee. H. H. Cluff to be President, Manager & Supt of the Colony. - The Stockholders may each have a City Lot. - The City Lots to cost not less than \$2500 nor to exceed \$7500 each - Reserve the Lots fronting on the Square - - To build a Meeting House to be also used as a School House - say 30 x 20 feet - arrange to enter adjoining lands by Homestead. Desert entry & Tree Culture entry - see what can be done about negotiating for the Saw Mill in the Mountains near the colony - obtain a Seal for the Company with Motto the Rising Sun and words in Hawaiian

to (p. 76) explain the same.- obtain a company Brand - The Company may render such aid as it can to the Colonists in building their houses, as a loan. We had a slight shower of rain about 3 p.m. I wrote to Elizabeth & Joseph, & called on Sophia for an hour this evening. It rained to-night.

Friday Aug. 9, 1889 The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 9 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter arrangements were made with Bro Wm H. Thompson of St George to dig for and property make a cistern on his city Lot at St. George also to lay a pipe therefrom to the Temple and convey the water from the Temple springs to the Cistern. & Keep a strict account of his expenses and report the same. It was agreed to advance to Bro Thompson sufficient cash to purchase a 3 1/2 Horsepower Engine and Boiler and to freight the same to Milford - \$300.00 was appropriated for this purpose. 1000 feet of 1 1/2 inch galvanized pipe for 16 1/2 cents per foot. 1000 feet of 2 inch pipe at 21 1/2 cents and 1000 feet of 2 1/2 inch pipe at 33 cts per foot was ordered through Z.C.M.I. for the purpose. \$300000 was appropriated of Tithing Funds on hand to (p. 77) the Stake Tithing Offices. in aid of the completion of the Bear Lake Stake Meeting House. Prest Woodruff & Cannon left by this afternoons 3.40 train for Ogden, so as to take the early train North to Montpelier to attend the Bear Lake Stake Conference on Sunday & Monday next. I received a letter from Elizabeth & telegraphed her to come up this evening. I also wrote to Sophia Pres. Joseph F. Smith, cut my hair this afternoon. Prest Smith & myself left this evening. I went to Leonards with Bro. Chas. H. Wilcken, & there met my wife Elizabeth & son Wilford. E. is quite unwell having had a sever time of sickness for some time.

Saturday, Aug. 10th 1889. Elizabeth did not feel very well this morning After breakfast she proposed to go up town to do some shopping. she went on the street cars & they shook her so much that by the time she got to Main Street she was very sick. she managed to get to the Tithing Office when Dr. E. B. Ferguson was sent for & she came and took E. in a buggy to her residence & put her to bed & administered such medicine as was needed. The Dr then called & (p. 78) informed me. I spent the day in reading & and in the evening Leonard, Thomas & Wilford accompanied me to Dr Fergusons, & found E. in much pain & very weak. We administered to her and I staid all night with her. the boys left at about 10 oclock

Sunday Aug 11th 1889 I spent the day with Elizabeth. she is some easier, but has had a hard time. He left side & Shoulder & back giving her much pain. Pleuracy & Pnuemonia & an affection of the heart being her complaint. she seemed to have gone along just as long as she could. Leonard called this evening & we again administered to Elizabeth and she felt better. I staid with her to-night.

Monday, Aug 12, 1889. I spent the day with Elizabeth. I wrote to Prest Smith and informed him of my whereabouts. It is a very warm day. I wrote to Mary & the Children at Provo informing them of their Mothers condition. She is much better of her pain but it has not yet left her. Thomas came up this evening for a short time. I wrote to Sophia & got answer. I staid tonight with Elizabeth. (p. 79)

Tuesday Aug 13th 1889. Elizabeth spent a good night and is gaining in her health. her breathing is not good and the pain in her left breast & shoulder still troubles her. I attended to her to day & read the papers. Leonard called this evening & Wilford came up this morning and has been

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with us all day. I felt that it is necessary for me to be at my work in the office, and as Elizabeth is so much better & feels of herself better I concluded to go to night and left at 9 o'clock, and arrived at the Gardo House all right.

Wednesday August 14, 1889. I found a number of letters which had been received during my absence and which called for my attention. Prest Woodruff & Cannon returned from Bear Lake Stake last night & with Prest Jos. F. Smith were at the office today. Pres Woodruff signed 24 recommends. The Presidency had a brief interview with Hon. James O. Broadhead and Judge Henry of Missouri. I attended a meeting of Directors of Z.S.B.&T. Co. at 1 p m. \$30000 per year was appropriated to the Executive Committee & \$15000 per year to the Secretary for their services to commence (p.80) at the last organization of the Bank. I received letters from Mary, C A. Hunt, & Prest Geo Teasdale I called on Sophia for an hour this evening. all well.

Thursday Aug 15, 1889 The Presidency at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 3 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. Prests Woodruff & Cannon had an interview with Judge McClernand of the Utah Commission this morning. Bp Thos Judd of St George called & the matter of Leaseing (sic) the Washington Factory or of selling a Majority of the Stock to him was considered & referred to the St George Stake Association to arrange with Bro Judd on the best terms. to this effect. Bro H. H Cluff was blessed and set apart as President and Manager of the Hawaiian Colony at Scull Valley, by the First Presidency. Pres. Geo. Q. Cannon, Mouth - also Bro Elihu Barrell to labor in the business affairs of the Colony and as a teacher in the School - under the direction of Bro H. H. Cluff. \$7500 was ap-

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appropriated in aid of Bro E Barrell as an advance on his wages. The Presidency endorsed 7 notes, drawn in favor of Bro John T Rich for \$4285.71 each, the (p. 81) first payable on July 1st 1890 and annually thereafter on the 1st of July until the 7 are paid, with 8% interest per annum. These notes were signed by Josepa Agricultural and Stock Company by H. H. Cluff, President and F. A. Mitchell, Secretary by order of the Board. I attended the usual meeting of the Presidency & Apostles in prayer meeting at 2 p m. We had quite a number of letters to-day. also had a slight shower of rain. Very Warm & Sultry. I wrote to Mary, and called on Elizabeth found her improving and wanting to go home; but I tried to prevail on her not to be in a hurry to do so.

Friday, August 16th 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest Woodruff signed 31 recommends \$30000 in Tithing Produce was appropriated in behalf of Bro C. H. Wilcken on Defense Fund a/c. An order was drawn on Bro Jas Jack & handed to Bro H B. Clawson for \$100000 on defense fund a/c Bro John R Winder who has been sick for some time called to pay his respects to the brethren. he feels that he is improving in his health. A number of public letters were written today. (p. 82) I received an invitation for self and wife to attend the Inauguration of the Electric Railway in Salt Lake City this evening at 7.30 o'clock. Prest Woodruff & Cannon attended, I did not, the proceedings & cars were a complete success. I went down to Leonards to night. S. R. Thurman was arrested at Provo on U. C. charge this evening.

Saturday Aug 17th 1889 Elizabeth & Wilford came down this Morning with Dr Ferguson's buggy. feeling much better and anxious to go home. I spent the day with her. Had some rain. during the day.

Sunday Aug 18, 1889. I spent the day in reading, conversation, & in company of Elizabeth & Leonards family. E. is feeling much better and has concluded to start for home by train in the Morning. I hope she will be careful so as not to have a relapse, which she promises to do, I returned to the Gardo tonight Leonard accompanied me. Thomas & wife called in this afternoon, also yesterday evening. Pres Jos F Smith also returned this evening. It has been cloudy all day & gave us a nice rain (p. 83) this evening and during the night.

Monday Aug 19th 1889. The Presidency at the office this morning & Pres Woodruff, signed 67 recommends & heard the letters read. 29. I wrote to Elizabeth and arranged for the transfer of her Orders at the G. T. O. also arranged with Bro. J. W. McHenry to take a team & convey Elizabeth & Wilford to the D & R G W depot. which he did and they got off all right. I sent a telegram to Joseph requesting him to meet his Mother at Provo on the arrival of the train with a conveyance. I received a letter from Joseph also one from Bro S. S. Jones, which I answered. The boys at Provo have thrashed & have 68 1/2 bushels of Oats and 62 bushels of wheat. I received from Bro. Parker for my wool from sheep in his herd in 1888. \$1145. I called on Sophia for an hour & found her & babe well. Last night while walking up with Leonard. he told me that he had no objections to Sophia going to their house with her children to live until I can do better for her. as I had asked him about this a week ago & he proposed to see Teenie & let me know. Sophia will go down the first chance to look at the place & arrange (p. 84) I attended to our Mail Matter The Presidency attended a meeting in the Gardo Parlor with Bro John W Young & some of his employees also members of the City Council to consider

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the right of way for John W. railway through the N. West part of the City to the Lake. Hon. John T. Caine, called, and reported that the U. S. Senate Committee on Irrigation consisting of Hon W. M Stewart, of Nevada chairman, Hon. P. B. Plumb, of Kansas, Hon J. H. Reagan, of Texas, and Hon James H. Jones of Arkansas, Also Major J. W. Powell, Director of the U.S. Geological Survey, and assistants, arrived at the City on last evening, and they wished to have some of our people go before them and testify on the matter of Irrigation in this Territory. Judge Elias A. Smith & Jesse W. Fox, Sent. C. H. Wilcken, James A. Little, Geo. M. Ottinger, F. A. Hammond, Wm. R. Smith, & others appear before the committee to-day & this evening. I had Bro. Jas. A. Little sent for, so that he could give some information on Kanab & Southern Utah Water Matters. We have had a great change in the temperature, cool & cloudy all day. (p. 85) I called the attention of the Presidency to the proposed action of the Provo City Council to sell the west portion of the Court House Block, and a telegram was sent to Bro A. O Smoot calling his attention to the matter and hoping he would prevent unwise action. At this instance of Bro. H. B. Clawson it was decided that if the Federal officials & leading gentiles will make application for the use of the Large Tabernacle for Mr Gilmore to hold a first class musical entertainment therein, that the Presidency will not object and they will dispose of the means for the rent to paying the expenses & for the benefit of the Deseret Hospital. Pres Wm Budge of Bear Lake Stake called & submitted the property of the Mormon people in Idaho voting on the Idaho Constitution which has been framed for the admission of Idaho into the Union as a state. It was deemed proper that all who can vote and who are not polygamists &c should vote at the time

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for such voting. (Letters were) (has been erased) Bros H. H. Cluff & F. A. Mitchell called & reported that the Saw Mill and appurtinanes (sic) owned by Bro. Edwin Booth now near the Hawaiian Colony can be purchased for \$149775. It was decided to purchase (p. 86) and Bro Mitchell thought they could pay for it from funds received from the Sale of the Natives property. The Presidency had a brief interview with Major J. W. Powell, this afternoon. He is very friendly to our people. Bro. D. H. Wells was also present.

Tuesday August 20/89. We had a very cold night which is a sudden change The Presidency at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 20 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. It was decided that Prests Woodruff & Cannon and other leading brethren will attend the Dedication services of the Bear Lake Stake Meeting House on Sunday Sept 15/89. Letters were sent to Prests. Thos E. Ricks, Geo. C. Parkinson & H. D. Haight requesting their presence at that time, to talk over the question of voting on the Idaho Constitution. I recd a letter from George. Elizabeth arrived at home all right and is well as she expected. the children are all well. This has been a very cold day. rather warmer in the evening. (p. 87) Bro John Walsh called to see me & explained the interview he had with Mayor Armstrong a short time since on water matters, in which there was some misunderstanding. I advised him to see Bro C H Wilcken & explain himself to him & then ask Bro Wilcken to go with him to the Mayor & have a proper understanding with him, which he promised to do. I did this because Bro Walsh had been misrepresented to the Presidency & I feared he would suffer if matters were not made right.

Wednesday Aug 21, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff

signed 41 recommends. The Presidency had an interview with Senator P. B. Plumb, of the Senate Committee from 11.20 a m to 1.05 p.m. Bro. A. Stayner also present he having brought the Senator. Meeting of the Directors of Z.S.B.&T.Co. at 1.30 p.m. agreed to put 2 more Stories on Bank Building I ruled out some forms for Bro. Joseph F. Smith for Temple Ordinance Work. I wrote to Elizabeth in answer to George's letter rec. yesterday Bro F. W Marchant of Peoa was blessed & set apart to labor at the Hawaiian Colony & take care of the cattle. The Senate Committee except Senator Plumb, left last night (p. 88) Prest H. S, Gowans was requested to call upon the Saints of Tooele Stake to furnish teams & wagons sufficient to haul the Hawaiian Saints and their effects from this City to the Colony in Scull Valley. A number of letters were answered. I went to the Theatre tonight.

Thursday August 22, 1889 Elder Brigham Young, slept with me last night and staid with us to-day. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 33 recommends. Several communications from the First Seven Presidents of Seventies were read & answered. The Presidency had an interview with Bro Amos Howe, and afterwards an order was issued on Bro Jas Jack in his favor for \$1500.00 on Defense Fund a/c. I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at 2 p.m. I received a letter from Eleanor at 5 p.m. from which I learn that Elizabeth is not quite so well and feels some weaker. I wrote to her asking if I can do anything in her behalf &c. Sophia went down with Bro Cushing to Leonards & (p. 89) called for 5 minutes on her return. she does not think that Leonards will be a suitable place for her to go to live. By letter from Bro Wm Spry at Chattanooga we learn that he has been arrested

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in lieu of Bro Franklin Haymore of Payson on a charge of Polygamy & adultery on a warrant from the 1st Dist. Court at Provo & a letter from Judge Judd. He has been identified and expects to be released he being now out on bail after spending one night in prison. I called on Sophia for an hour.

Friday August 23, 1889 The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 42 recommends. I recd a letter from Elizabeth, she is some better, and able to write herself, but still quite weak. I wrote to Leonard to have Teenie watch for to-morrow's (sic) Morning train, and get a parcel that Elizabeth sends for Teenie by G. A. Shumway & Elizabeth Ann - I broke the upper plate of my teeth this morning & sent it to Alma Dunford to be fixed. I have been very busy to-day with reading & answering letters. (p. 90) Prests Geo. Q. Cannon 1 span Horses, & (sic) Joseph F. Smith \$2500, and Myself \$5000, James Jack \$10000, A. M. Cannon \$10000, A. Winter \$2500, Geo. Reynolds \$2500, W. C. Spence \$2500, D McKenzie \$2500, C H Wilcken \$25.00 & O. P. Arnold \$2500. each having contributed to purchase a team and carriage. the same was bought and Bro Chas H. Wiloken, drove up in front of the Gardo House. Prest Woodruff, was invited to go out & look at it which he did, afterwhitch on coming into the House, President Cannon, in a brief speech in behalf of himself and the brethren named presented the team and carriage to President W. Woodruff, with the good wishes and feelings of the brethren named. that he may live long to enjoy the use of the same. The President was very much surprised and with difficulty he offered a few words in expressing his heartfelt thanks for this present, and blessed the brethren, a number of them being present and all felt well. The President rode home in the new carriage, Bro

Wilcken, driving. Myself & Bro. Jack offered a few words at the presentation which were accepted by the other brethren. Bros Cannon & Smith left the Gardo this evening. I staid. (p. 91)

Saturday August 24/89 I attended to our Mail Matter and signed 28 recommends to the Temples. Bro Geo A Shumway and Elizabeth Ann & babe & little Leonard came up from Provo this Morning and called upon me. Her baby is a very nice little girl. Seems to be quite healthy & strong. I got George to get me some Oranges & grapes for Elizabeth & Bro Sudbury gave me some Indian Root for her & I got some Hipo Sulphite of soda for her. They brought me a letter from Elizabeth. she was not feeling quite as well again but I have hopes for her safe recovery. George & Sister left by the afternoon train & took the above things with them. I also wrote a letter to Ma. & enclosed letters to W. H. Brown, Asst & Coll of Utah Co. & Theo. M. Samulson, Asst & Coll. of Provo City, asking for a copy of my assessment in that County & City for 1889. George called at 6 o'clock. and will come and see me tomorrow. He & his girl had come up this morning and gone out to the Lake. I got my teeth this afternoon & paid \$2.50 for fixing them. Bro. McHenry called with a horse & buggy this evening & I rode out around the (p. 92) drive with him and then to Leonards where I staid.

Sunday, Aug. 25, 1889. I spent the day in reading & conversation George & Miss Berg & her sister called in the afternoon and staid 3/4 of an hour & then they left for home. I returned to the Gardo House tonight, Leonard accompanied me. Bro Joseph F. Smith, also returned tonight.

Monday, Aug 26, 1889. Prest Woodruff & Smith at the Office this morning. Pres Woodruff signed 22 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter and

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answered some public letters. I recd a letter from Clara her mother is not feeling much if any better. Bro Joseph Watson called and reported that 30 of their Stone Cutters had quit work this morning on the Bank Building, because he would not comply with the demands of the Federated Trades Union in discharging some men who were not members of the Union. Pres' Woodruff said that he did not feel like submitting to such demands & for Bro Watson to do the best he can under the circumstances & (p. 93) if possible get more men and Keep the work going as well as he can. I also felt to encourage him in such a course and not submit. He felt that way inclined himself. Bro John W. Hess called and reported that Saw Mill & shingle & lath Mill belonging to the Washakie Indian Farm was destroyed by fire last week. I obtained an order from Jas Jack for \$500 on Provo Tithing Office in favor of B Y Academy to pay Wilfords School bill for 20 weeks. I also got \$2500 from Bro Jack to pay for 5 Shares in the People's Equitable Co-op Inst. Bro Walter Cox of Provo called and left with me an abstract of the land I purchased from him which I examined & found correct, excepting that there is a Mortgage on the land which has not been released. I called on Sophia for an hour she & babe are well.

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Prest Woodruff signed 54 recommends. I attended to our mail matter. Bro Cox called, I told him the Mortgage must be released, and when done and the abstract completed to hand it to my son Joseph. He must also pay the taxes on the place for this year, and make out a bill of sale for all the articles mentioned as belonging to the place when I (p. 94) bought it. and then I would pay him for it. Bro Nephi Clayton called and reported the labors and prospects of the "Inland Salt Company". the Salt

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Lake has so far receded that a flume & pumping apparatus has been built & arrangements made for getting the water from the Lake to the ponds - He requested Prests Woodruff, Cannon & myself to go out tomorrow afternoon on a special train at 215 to see the works &c It was decided that the brethren will go. Pres' Woodruff granted a Divorce in the case of Sister Lydia K. Young vs John R. Young at her request. It was decided that Bro James H. Moyle go to Beaver to attend to the case of Bro John D. T McAllister which comes up at the next term of Court, commencing on Monday next. It was decided to insure the Sugar Machinery &c at the Laie Plantation. Sandwich Islands for \$10000.00 @ 3% I wrote to Elizabeth & Joseph at Provo & sent order for Wilfords school bill. \$5.00 I received a certificate for 5 Shares in the People's Equitable Co-operation Assn. which I sent the money for yesterday.

Wednesday, Aug 28, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 41 recommends. I attended to our Mail matter. I attended a Meeting of the Directors of Z S B & T. Co. (p. 95) at 1 p m. Bro Joseph Watson was sent for and requested to give the names of the strikers from his employ who belong to the church - A telegram was sent to Bro Robert Roden at Manti for Stone cutters to work from 4 to 6 weeks. A telegram was also sent to Pres R Clawson, at Brigham City, asking if they have any Stone Cutters there. I talked with Bro. Watson. he is firm in his position not to yield. At 2 p. m. Prest Woodruff & Cannon & the clerks in the Presidents office went to Salt-air to see the Inland Salt Company's Works. I received a letter from Elizabeth, of Aug 27. she says she does not know whether she is any better or not. the rest of the family are all well. She also enclosed letters from Wm H Brown Asst & Coll of Utah Co

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with copy of my assessment and notice of taxes. My assessment is \$2540.00 and Terr. Co & School taxes for 1889 - \$25.40 special School tax for Dist No 1 - \$11.95. Also a letter & copy of assessment from Theo. M. Samulson, Asst. & Coll. of Provo City. My assest. is \$2390.00 and cash tax \$4.78 labor \$717 = \$1195 for 1889. this is a few cents less than last year. I wrote to C. A. H. - Bro. S. Bateman called for me with a horse & buggy & took me for a drive which I enjoyed much. Bro. Joseph F. Smith left for his home this evening to further prepare himself for a visit to the Logan Temple. (p. 96)

Thursday August 29, 1889 Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 17 recommends. I attended to our mail matter. Bro Karl G. Maeser of Provo, called I talked with him about my daughter Mary. He says he will have her as a teacher in the B. Y. academy as soon as there is an opening for he wants her there. I attended the prayer meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at 2 p m. I had my wife Elizabeth prayed for and a bottle of pure Olive Oil blessed & Consecrated for use in my family - This oil is some that was received from Palestine a short time ago. I called on Sophia for an hour this evening. Had some slight showers of rain during the evening & night.

Friday August 30th 1889. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 18 recommends. I received a letter from Elizabeth she is much about the same. also the Abstract of the titles of the Cox land. I sent for \$110000 to Bro Schettler at the Z. S. Bank. & got a deposit check on 1st National Bank of Provo. I made out a new deed from Bro Cox & his wife to my son (p. 97) Joseph for the land, with a view of having it recorded to him and he make a new deed to me to hold for the present,

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which deed I also made out. I also got a bill of sale from Bro Cox for 1 Mower, 1 Hay Rake, 1 Double Harrow 1 cultivator 2 pitch forks 1 Shovel & 1 spade with the place. I wrote to Elizabeth & Joseph informing them of what I wanted done about the deed signing & recording & the payment of the taxes by Bro Cox for this year &c. I recd a letter from Sophia, she moves into her own house to-day. it being apparently impossible for me to get another place for her. We must therefore trust in the Lord to Keep her hid from the enemy, and use our own best judgment. We have received a number of letters today and answered them. An order was issued on Bro Jas Jack for \$80000 favor of H. B. Clawson to be paid to Mr Alex Badlam of San Francisco, Cal. & A Draft was sent him in a letter. Orders were signed by Pres Woodruff for \$3555.00 monthly allowance of the Twelve - \$150000 Salary of the clerks in the Presidents office \$115833 for Legal Expenses - attorneys fees - Pres Woodruff approved the bill of the Salt Lake Theatre for \$950.35 for Tickets for the Twelve & others from Jany to July 1889. and he instructed Bro Jack to inform the Theatre Company that the purchase of (p. 98) tickets for the Twelve, and the occupancy of the east proscenium boxes will cease from this date Prests Woodruff & Cannon attended the Dedicatory services of the 18th Ward Seminary this evening at 7.30 O'clock. Prest G. C. Cannon offered the dedicatory prayer & he & Prest Woodruff & others spoke to the Saints assembled. The names of the Stockholders of the Inland Salt Company are James Jack, Nephie W Clayton, W Woodruff Geo. Q. Cannon, Angus M. Cannon, L John Nuttall, George H Snell. Jerry Langton of Butte, & 2 or 3 small amounts -

Saturday, August 31, 1889. I am alone this morning and attended to our Mail Matter. I received a letter from Elizabeth in which she says she is

not much, if any, better, being quite weak. also a letter from Joseph which should of came with the abstract. Prest Woodruff & Cannon came to the Office at 3 & 330 p m. Pres Woodruff signed 35 recommends, and by his direction I signed 23 recommends to the Temples - These brethren attended a meeting with a few of the (p. 99) brethren at 4 p.m. pertaining to political affairs, & preparing for the February Election in Salt Lake City. There were also present Bros F. M. Lyman, J H Smith, H J Grant, J, T. Caine, A. M Cannon, C W Penrose & F. S. Richards. Bro Lyman purposes going to Provo in the morning to attend Conference. he promised to take my bottle of oil for Elizabeth. I wrote to Prest George Teasdale in answer to his two last letters received from him. I went down to Leonards tonight & found all well.

Sunday Sept 1st 1889. I spent the day in reading, conversation &c - and return to the Gardo House in the evening. Leonard accompanied me Prests Woodruff and G. Q. Cannon attended the Salt Lake Stake Conference to-day. & each of them spoke, the former in the afternoon, and the latter in the morning.

Monday Sept 2nd 1889. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office this morning They attended the Conference Meetings in the Tabernacle morning, & afternoon & spoke in the afternoon. My Son, Leonard was called & sustained as a Home Missionary in Salt Lake Stake. this afternoon. Pres' Woodruff signed 39 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter, several letters received. (p. 100) I received letters from Elizabeth & Joseph. My wife feels some better the past two days. the rest of the family all well. Also letter from Sophia who, with her children are all well. I wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia. I called on Sister Barratt & Watson at Bro Watson's for an hour

this evening & found them all well & better for their out into the City Creek Canyon for 5 weeks

Tuesday, Sept 3/89 Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 10 recommends Bro F M Lyman called & informed me that he had called on my wife Elizabeth & Spent the evening (Monday) in conversation. he had also administered to her while there - He had also talked to Joseph & the Children who were present. Bro Thos R. Galbraith of Liverpool who arrived with the company of Saints last night. called with a letter of introduction from Pres' Geo Teasdale. He is the son of a Minister of the Church of England, & recently joined our Church in Liverpool. He wishes to teach School. Prest. Woodruff let him have \$2000 to pay his immediate expenses to be refunded when he gets employment. A Meeting on Political Matters was held in the G. H Parlor this afternoon. (p. 101)

Wednesday, Sept 4/89. Prest Woodruff & Cannon at the office this morning. Prest. Woodruff signed 40 recommends. Bro F. M. Lyman slept with me last night. Bro John Beck, called, and Pres' Woodruff objected to his going to the Temple for sealing purposes. I attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of Z.S.B.&T.Co. at 1 p m and officiated as Secretary protem. I rec a letter from Elizabeth, she is feeling some improvement in her health, her pain is not so bad. she is, however quite weak. I received a note from Sophia she & babes are all well. Another Meeting on Political matters pertaining to Salt Lake City election next February. was held this afternoon at 3. o'clock at the G. H. parlor. Bro. F. A. Mitchel called & reported that he had surveyed the town site for the Hawaiian Saints at Josepa, Scull Valley. they had drawn their lots and all were feeling well in their new location.

Thursday Sept 5, 1889 - Prests Woodruff & Cannon, at the office, also Elder B. Young, who came last night. Pres Woodruff signed 45 recommends. and I attended to our Mail. I slept with Bro F. M. Lyman again last night in my bed - (p. 102) Bro. Wm Paxman, returned from his Mission to New Zealand, this morning, he is well in his health & spirits. I had a little talk with him, he is glad to get home again. I attended the circle Meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at 2 p.m. Bro. Paxman by invitation was also present. Elder L. Snow, also present. I wrote to Elizabeth, and procured some alcohol Brandy & Florida water for Sophia \$160 Bro B. Young left this evening.

Friday Sept 6, 1889. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 52 recommends. I attended to our mail matter. Bro. F. M. Lyman slept with me last night & went to Tooele this morning Bro Fred. W. Taylor called and expressed his desires to go to New York for the purpose of entering some college there to study and graduate in Medicine & Surgery, and wished the counsel & sanction of the Presidency. The brethren consented to his going for the purpose desired and hoped he would be firm to the principles of his religion and not allow his studies or associations to weaken his faith in the Gospel. I suggested to him if he found there was any possibility of his losing his faith, that (p. 103) come home right away. He expects to leave about the 12th of this Month. Elder F. A. Mitchell called and submitted his financial circumstances, and prospects for selling his house & 5 lots in the 11th Ward for \$40,000 and he can then liquidate his indebtedness. Upon consideration Pres. Woodruff felt that Bro Mitchell would be justified in selling, to which Pres' G Q Cannon assented. Mr. H. E. C. Peterson, completed an oil paint portrait of Prest Geo. Q. Cannon

today and commenced on one for Pres' W. Woodruff. The Reserve Fund of Z.C.M.I. amounts to \$254,775.88. " (The) " (Reserve) " (Fund) " (of Z.C.M.I.) to October, 1889. 10,369.39

\$265,145.27

My Son Joseph & Daughter Eleanor came up on the train from Provo this morning & called on me. I was much pleased to see them. they went out for awhile in the afternoon & came & eat dinner with me & spent the evening in conversation. Joseph brought the Cox deed which I found was not properly acknowledged, so I sent it back with him and a proper form of an acknowledgment. They went down to Thomas to spend the night. They inform me that their Mother is improving in her health but still has some pain in her side. I spent the night alone after the children left. (p.104)

Saturday, Sept 7, 1889. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. The President signed 30 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter. Prest Woodruff was engaged in having his portrait painted from 10 a m to 330 p m. A number of public letters were answered. Bro Asa W. Judd, of Kanab, was released to return home from his mission in Germany, as per the request of his father in consequence of the health of his Mother and her reason being affected because of his absence. Joseph and Eleanor called & they eat dinner with me. and spent the evening. This afternoon Joseph signed the deed for the Cox land to me and acknowledge it before Bro. James Jack. I got Joseph to go out & buy some Fish for his Mother also to try & find some oranges. he got the fish & a promise of the oranges tonight as they were expected. Joseph & Eleanor accompanied me to Leonards to-night.

Sunday, Sept 8, 1889. I spent the day with Joseph, & Eleanor & Leonards

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& family. I had a good talk with Joseph in regard to his getting married as he is now 26 years old & should be married. Leonard & Joseph went up town & got some Oranges for my wife Elizabeth also the fish, and Jos & Eleanor left by the afternoon 350 train for Provo. I returned to the Gardo (p. 105) House this evening. Leonard & Bro Jas A Little accompanied me. Prests Woodruff & Cannon attended the Davis Stake Conference to-day.

Monday Sept 9th 1889. Elder B. Young came to the Gardo this Morning & staid all day. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at Farmington. I signed 64 recommends to the Temples, and attended to our Mail Matter. The Grand Jury were impaneled to-day in the 3rd Dist Court. I received a letter from Clara. Wrote to Elizabeth & Clara & to Sophia. Bro McHenry took me out for a drive tonight. his wife & children also along with us.

Tuesday, Sept 10/89. Pres. Joseph F. Smith, returned last night to the Gardo. Pres Woodruff & G. Q. Cannon, also at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 11 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter. Bp. Samuel Bennion, of North Jordan Ward died. last night. I would have been pleased to see him for he & wife were very Kind to Pres' Taylor & party as theirs was the first house we stopped at when we went out on the U. G.

Wednesday, Sept 11th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Pres' Woodruff signed 18 recommends. Pres Geo Q Cannon attended the (p. 106) funeral services of the late Bp. Samuel Bennion this Morning. I attended to our mail. I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z S B & T. Co. and officiated as Secretary protem at 1 p.m. Bros John T. Caine, C. W. Penrose & F. S. Richards called and submitted a draft of the Platform to be presented to the Committee of the People's Party at their meeting tonight which was read amended & approved. I rec a letter from Joseph, his Mother

has not been so well again, but better when he wrote yesterday. I rode out this evening with Bro Jos F & Wife & Bro Samuel Bateman, and felt well for it.

Thursday, Sept 12, 1889. The Presidency at the office also Elder B. Young who came early this morning and slept with me. Prest. Woodruff signed 52 recommends. I attended to our Mail. Mr Sidney Dillon, & Hon. John Sharp, of the U. P. Railway called & had an interview with Prest Woodruff & Cannon I attended the usual Prayer Circled Meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at 2 p.m. I submitted a letter to me from Bro. Peter W. Conover of Provo asking for assistance and got \$5000 allowed to him. (p. 107) On Motion of Pres' Geo. Q Cannon, Bro. Wm C. Spence was called on a Mission to Great Britain & to labor in the Liverpool Office as Book-Keeper to go this fall. A number of public letters were answered. I wrote to Elizabeth, and received letters informing me of another assessment of \$5.00 per Share on the Salt Lake City Railroad Stock.

Friday, Sept 13, 1889. Prest Jos. F. Smith at the office, & signed 24 recommends. Prests Woodruff & wife, & Cannon, Elder B Young & wife left by this mornings 8 oclock train in a special car for Bear Lake County Idaho, to attend to the dedication of the Bear Lake Stake Meeting House next Sunday. I attended to our Mail. I wrote to Bro Peter W. Conover & sent him orders on the Provo & Springville Tithing offices for \$25.00 each, and answered several public letters. It has been cloudy & quite chilly all day. Pres' Smith left this evening.

Saturday, Sept. 14, 1889. I am alone to-day, and attended to our Mail, Matter. I signed 12 recommends to the Temples. I received a letter from Elizabeth, she is not yet (p. 108) very well in her health, but hopes to

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come to the City the latter part of next week. Sophia called for a short time this afternoon. I went down to Leonards to-night & found all well.

Sunday, Sept. 15, 1889. I spent the day in reading & conversation and returned to the Gardo House this evening Leonard accompanied me. Pres' Smith also returned.

Monday Sept 16, 1889. The President Smith at the office. He signed 39 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter I received letters from Clara & Wilford, and wrote to Elizabeth, Clara & Wilford. We learned by telegram that the train carrying our company of Emigrants in charge of Elder E. W Payne was wricked (sic) last night near Lynchberg, Virginia. No one seriously hurt, which was quite miraculous, as one car was turned over and smashed to pieces, and the other car was thrown into the creek & stood on one end. Sophia called for an hour this evening.

Tuesday Sept 17, 1889 Prest Smith at the office. he signed 28 recommends. I attended to our Mail. Prests Woodruff & Cannon (p. 109) returned by the 330 p m train. Pres W called at the office Pres Cannon drove home. he is quite unwell & has had an attack of facial paralysis. which rather disfigures his face.

Wednesday, Sept. 18/89. Prests Woodruff & Smith at the office. Prest Cannon not feeling any better did not leave his home. Pres Woodruff signed 24 recommends. I attended to our Mail. I attended the Stockholders Meeting of Z. S. B. & T. Co. at 11 a.m. Also at the Directors Meeting at 1 p. m. The By-laws were submitted and accepted. The Election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the reelection of the old board. I obtained a pass from Bro. Spence for Elizabeth & one to come to the City, and wrote to her & sent the pass. I rode out this

evening with Bro S. Bateman.

Thursday Sept 19, 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Bro, Cannon feeling some better, Also Elder B. Young who came this morning. Prest Woodruff signed 40 recommends. I attended to our Mail. Pres Jos. F. Smith commenced to set for his portrait this morning to Mr H. E. C. Peterson. (p. 110) I attended a meeting of the Presidency and Apostles at the office at 2 p.m. It was decided that Bro. Albert Carrington who is reported to be dying may be Ordained an Elder that when he died he could be buried in his Temple clothing, Prest Angus M. Cannon was authorized to ordain him. As Bro Cannon entered the house he was informed that Bro. Carrington died at 18 minutes to 4 p.m. It was afterwards decided the Bro. Carrington may be buried in his Temple Clothing.

Friday, Sept 20, 1889 The Presidency at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 26 recommends. I attended to our Mail. a number of public letters were answered. I received a letter from Elizabeth and went to Leonards tonight, Bro Lehi Pratt took me down - I expected to meet Elizabeth & Mary they did not come.

Saturday, Sept 21, 1889 At Leonards. Elizabeth & Mary arrived this morning the train being late did not arrive last night. E. is some better in her health but yet quite feeble. She & Mary went up town to get a Wrap at Z. C. M. I. for Mary. and returned very much tired. spent the evening in conversation with her & Mary. They left all the children at home well in health. (p. 111)

Sunday, Sept 22nd 1889. I spent the day very agreeable with Elizabeth, Mary & Leonard & family. In the evening as Elizabeth & Mary wished to return home on account of Mary's school, I engaged a carriage & they drove

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to the D. & R. G. Depot and left by the 710 p m. train. Leonard accompanied me to the Gardo House, where we arrived all right. Prest Jos. F. Smith also arrived to-night.

Monday Sept 23rd 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff, signed 63 recommends. I attended to our Mail. a number of letters were answered. Pres' Joseph F. Smith had some very plain talk with Bro. Angus M. Cannon in regard to his persistent claim to the land Known as the Barn Lot west of the Lion House which Bro Cannon claims he purchased bonafide. while Pres Smith claims was only in trust for its safety to the Church. Pres. M. Thatcher & Bp Wm B. Preston. held the same views as Bro. Smith and repudiated Bro. Cannon's claim. no decision was arrived at, I wrote to Elizabeth this evening.

Tuesday, Sept 24, 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest Woodruff signed 17 recommends. I attended to our Mail. Abraham F. Doremus & his wife Pauline Richards (p. 112) Doremus sent a letter which was received this morning, requesting that their names be stricken from the Church Records wherever they appear showing any semblance of membership in the Church. This matter was referred to the Presidency & High Council of Salt Lake Stake for their action thereon & to carry out the request of the parties. The case of Bro Davis of Malad Stake who is imprisoned in Idaho Penitentiary for refusing to pay a fine of \$500.00 on a charge of conspiracy, was called up. It appears that proceedings have been commenced for a writ of Habeas Corpus from the U. S. Supreme Court in this case on the question "Can a Man be fined and imprisoned because he is a member of a religious organization." thus bringing the Idaho Test Oath plainly before the Court. Further arrangements were made to have this brought about and Hon Jere M. Wilson was engaged to assist Bro F. S

Richards at Washington D. C. The amounts paid as Salaries to the Church

Attorneys at the present time is as follows:

F S Richards, per annum	\$3500.00
LeGrand Young	" 3500.00
Shuks & Rawlins	" 3000.00 (p. 113)
Jas. H. Moyle.	\$1000.00
C. C. Richards.	1000.00
S. R. Thurman	1000.00
Prestly Denney	1500.00
	<u>\$14500.00</u>

Bro F. S. Richards salary was increased to \$500000 per Annum. & Shuks & Rawlins was reduced to \$100000 per Annum as Mr Shuks has left the City.

It was decided that Bros John T. Caine & C. C. Richards should accept the position of members of the Board of the Bothwell Canal, Company with the understanding it will be for the best interests of the People for them to do so. Prests Woodruff, Cannon & Smith met this morning in my presence and conversed on their personal matters, explaining to each other their personal feelings & views and came to a better understanding of each other. Prest Smith had felt that Pres Woodruff had not treated him as he should have done &c all of which was duly explained and good feelings had. I received a letter from C. A Hunt, and appointed Bro A. W. Carlsen as my proxy to vote my Stock at the Stockholders Meeting of Z. C. M. I. Oct 5th 1889. (p.114) when article 9 of the Articles of Incorporation are to be changed, to provided for a yearly - in place of Semi Annual Stock taking, also to declare dividends every quarter in place of every half year. also to vote for Officers - I am in favor of these changes. I wrote to Bro. D. H. Wells at Manti Temple and to Sophia we had some rain to-day.

Wednesday Sept 25th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff,

signed 27 recommends. I attended to our Mail. I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z. S. B & T Co. at 1 p m till 330 p m. I was introduced to Sir Julian Goldschmidt. Bart Wife & two daughters. He is a member of the British Parliament & they called to pay their respects to Pres Woodruff. I met them with him. they were very Kind & courteous. The compensation of the Officers & workers in the Several Temples was decided as follows: per year to commence July 1, 1889.

Logan Temple.	Officers	\$9945.00	Workers	100000	=	\$10945.00
Manti "	D. H. Wells "	13190.00.	"	1500.00	=	18190.00
St George "	"	13420	"	1500.00	=	16735.00
	other expenses, Team Fuel, &c			1810.00	=	

(p. 115) I received letters from Elizabeth, Joseph & Sophia.

Thursday, Sept. 26, 1889. The Presidency at the office. also Elder B. Young. Prest Woodruff signed 18 recommends. I attended to our Mail. Bro John D. T. McAllister, came up from St. George, last evening & called this Morning. It was decided on Motion of Prest Jos F. Smith. to cover the roof of the Large Tabernacle below the present galvanized iron, with "Hamsley patent Metal shingles" 10 x 14 at \$5.00 per square = 450 squares = \$2250.00 laying the same \$50000 Freight \$680.00 painting \$1.00 per Square = \$450.00 to be of the best quality of tin painted on both sides. It was decided on motion of Bro John H. Smith to rent the large tabernacle for the Gilmore Concert, with the understanding that the Governor, Federal Officials and other leading gentiles of Salt Lake City, sign a petition to the President of the Church asking for its use for the purpose mentioned. I attended the Prayer Circle Meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at 330 p m. I recd a letter from Bro L. C. Mariger, Kanab, in which he offers me \$250.00 for my house & lot at Kanab, also a letter from Joseph

(p. 116) I rode out this evening with. Bro. McHenry.

Friday, Sept. 27, 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest Woodruff

signed 32 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter. I wrote to Eliza-

beth and Joseph & To Sophia. Bro. F. M Lyman slept with me last night

Saturday Sept 28/89. Prest. Geo. Q. Cannon at the office. he signed 28

recommends. I attended to our Mail. Bro F. M. Lyman slept with me last

night, some public letters were answered. Sophia called for an hour.

I went to Leonards to-night & found all well there.

Sunday, Sept 29, 1889. I spent the day in reading and conversation &

returned to the Gardo House this evening. Leonard accompanied me. Bro

J. F. Smith also returned to-night.

Monday, Sept. 30, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prests. Woodruff

signed 30 recommends. I attended to our Mail. A communication was rec

signed by the Governor & other Federal officials requesting the use of the

Tabernacle for the Gilmore Concert. 7 Certificátes of Stock in the Mexican

Colonization & Agricultural Company for 477 Shares were filed by Bro M

Thatcher & handed to (p. 117) Prest W. Woodruff. I rec letter from Clara,

also from Bro S. S. Jones Provo. and from George Teasdale, Liverpocol. I

arranged with James Jack for Elizabeth to draw \$5000 in cash & 25.00 in

Tithing produce per Month. I wrote to Elizabeth & sent her \$30.00 Cash

& \$2500 order & held 2000 to pay Z C. M. I for Marys Wrap. I authorized

Bro. S. J. Sudbury to vote my stock in the People's Equitable assn at

the Stockholders meeting tonight.

Tuesday, October 1st 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest. Wood-

ruff signed 40 recommends. I attended to our Mail. A number of public

letters were answered. I received a letter from Joseph & answered it.

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Bro. Stephen Nixon & wife had their recommend endorsed for their 2nd anointings, by Pres Woodruff. The Presidency & Twelve held a private meeting this afternoon for 2 hours.

Wednesday October 2nd 1889. The Presidency at the office. Pres' Woodruff, signed 32 recommends. I attended to our Mail. and received a letter from Elizabeth. I attended a Meeting of the Presidency and Apostles at 10 a m. The subject of Bro. S. S. Jones letter to me was considered & Bro Geo. F. Gibbs was sent to Provo to confer with Bro L. R. Thurman. Bro E D. Woolley & Dan Seegmiller called & stated their wishes (p. 118) that Bishops. H. B. M. Jolley of Mt Carmel - & R. J. Cutler of Glendale be released and two others appointed in their place. I asked the reason & they said because those brethren were getting old. I walked out with Bro. Sudbury to the Fair this evening.

Thursday Oct 3, 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest. Woodruff signed 33 recommends. I attended to our Mail. Bro Wm McNeil, Janitor, of the Logan Temple called he just having been released from the Penitentiary I had a good talk with him. - I had a talk with Prest Jos. F Smith about engaging Joseph to work in the President's office at Recording. he felt that he should be engaged - I wrote to Bro. S. S. Jones, in reply to his letter recd Sept 30/89. I received 2 complimentary Tickets to the Fair for the use of my family. The Presidency & Apostles met at 2.30 p m & decided on brethren for the Quorum of Twelve.

Friday, October 4, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Smith signed 31 recommends. I attended to our Mail. The 60th Semi-annual Conference of the Church Convened at 10 a m in the large Tabernacle. There were present on the Stand, Prests W. Woodruff Geo Q Cannon, Apostles L Snow, M. Thatcher, F M. Lyman (p. 119) John Henry Smith, H. J. Grant

& John W Taylor. Prayer by L. Snow. The speakers were Prest W. Woodruff, Elder John W. Taylor, Jacob Gates, C. W. Penrose, benediction by Pres A. M. Cannon. At 2 p. m. prayer by Prest. J. D T. McAllister. Speakers H. J. Grant, A. H. Cannon, John Morgan, Apostle F. M. Lyman. benediction by Patriarch John Smith. \$61,050.00 was paid to McComick & Co on Note of Receiver Dyer on Church property account. Pres Jos. F. Smith told me this Morning to send for my Son Joseph and set him to work for the Church at Recording. I wrote to Elizabeth & sent for Joseph. I received a letter from Bro W. D. Johnson Jr. at Diaz, Mexico Sister Margaret Roueche called - I wrote to Leonard & sent my Fair Tickets to him to use. I wrote to Bro J. L. Bunting, at Kanab, and sent him my tax notices to pay. Also wrote to Bro. L. C Mariger, Kanab, & offered to sell my Kanab House & lot for \$400.00 - Mary and Clara arrived this morning & went to the Fair, and Mary called for an hour this evening. she reports that my wife Elizabeth has been quite unwell for the past 2 days. vomiting & coughing. she fears an attack of Malarial fever. I hope she will be preserved from such an affliction and shortly regain her wanted health. This has been a busy day. (p. 120)

Saturday, October 5, 1889. Pres' Woodruff drove direct to the Tabernacle Prests Cannon & Smith at the office. also Elder B. Young who slept with me last night. Prest Smith signed 21 recommends. I attended to our Mail. At the Conference Meeting this morning. Bro Milo Andrus prayed & the speakers were Elders M. Thatcher. S. B. Young & B. H. Roberts, benediction by Prest D. H. Wells. At 12.15 The Presidency & Twelve met in the Gardo House parlor to meet with Bros. M. W. Merrill, A. H. Lund & A. H. Cannon, but as Bros Merrill & Lund did not come the meeting adjourned until 9 a.m. to-morrow. At 2 p.m The Stockholders of Z. C. M. I. met at the Company's

office. The Presidents report of the Business was read & approved, a dividend of 5% was declared on the last 6 months business. At the Conference meeting at 2 p m. Bro John Nicholson prayed & Prest L. Snow spoke 40 mints. Bp O. F Whitney 45 mints. Elder John H. Smith 14 mines. Benediction by Coun John W. Young. I prepared the list of Church Authorities to be presented at Meeting tomorrow morning. (p. 121) Mary & Clara called at 1030 a.m. & staid till 12 m. Sophia called for a short time this afternoon. Also Leonard and Bro Abraham Holladay of Provo called. I saw Prests. Canute Petersen, Jesse N. & Silas S. Smith this afternoon & talked with them. A Priesthood meeting was held at 730 o'clock. p.m. Bro. Geo. Reynolds prayed. Prests Geo. Q. Cannon & W. Woodruff were the speakers

Sunday, October 6th 1889. The Presidency at the office and 920 a m. they met with the Twelve & Bros. A. H. Lund & A. H. Cannon, Bro M. W. Merrill being unwell. Conference Meeting at 10 a.m. Prayer by Bro A. O. Smoot, Prest Woodruff introduced the subject of presenting the Presiding authorities, which Pres Geo Q. Cannon proceeded with, when the names of the Twelve Apostles were presented. Prest Woodruff announced that the three vacancies in the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles would be filled. The Apostles had selected and submitted a list of names to the First Presidency who had made the matter a subject of fervent prayer, and the Lord had manifested to him that the three brethren whose names would be presented to the Conference were accepted of Him. Prest. Geo Q Cannon then presented the names of Mariner (p.122) W. Merrill. Anthon H. Lund and Abraham H. Cannon, as members of the Quorum of the Twelve Apostles, and they were unanimously accepted. Elder John Jacques was sustained as

assistant church Historian and Recorder, and Elder Joseph Don Carlos Young, as Church Architect. Pres. Geo. Q. Cannon spoke 65 minutes & Elder John H. Smith dismissed. At 2 p.m. Conference Meeting. Elder Wm M. Palmer, prayed. The Sacrament was administered. Bishop Wm B. Preston spoke 15 mints. Pres Woodruff spoke 45 mints. Elders Jesse N Smith 10 mints and John T. Caine 5 mints in bearing testimony. Benidiction by Pres Woodruff. In addition to the meeting in the Tabernacle which was densely crowded, an overflow meeting was held in the assembly Hall which was also filled, the Sacrament was administered, and the speakers were Elders John H. Smith, John Morgan, A. W Ivins H. J. Grant, J. F. Wells & A. H. Lund, ben(idiction)/^(sic)by Bro J. H Smith The Conference adjourned till April 1890. The Sunday School Union held a meeting in the Tabernacle at 730 p m. Elder George Goddard presiding. I had some conversation with Pres Joseph F. Smith. (p. 123) this morning at his request when he informed me of some remarks which had been made about myself in the council meeting. wherein many of the brethren spoke of their entire confidence in my integrity. Bros Thatcher & Grant, however had thought I was a little officious sometimes, but he Bro. Smith had explained that I only spoke when it was necessary so that proper action might be taken to give the facts. Prest Jos. F. Smith is a true friend to me, and I esteem his noble character and worth, as an honest and true man. He would not allow any false impression to exist against me or any other man when he could make a proper explanation. Mary & Clara called to see me this afternoon, and they left for home by this afternoon train. Sophia called this evening for a short time. Also Geo. A. Shumway, he came up from Provo on this evening train. he staid in conversation until 11 p.m. about his

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building, farm, taking care of stock for other persons which I did not favor. &c - He brought a letter from Joseph informing me that His Mother is not well, having had an attack of vomiting coughing &c -

Monday, October 7th 1889. The Presidency at the Office. Prest. Smith, signed 22 & Prest Woodruff 18 recommends. I attended to our Mail Bro. B. Young slept with me last night. (p. 124) Prests. Woodruff & Cannon. The Twelve & others, met at the Tabernacle with the Presidents of Stakes High Counselors &c at 1050 am. prayer by Bro. M. Thatcher. Bros. F. M. Lyman, John H. Smith, Prests Geo Q Cannon & W. Woodruff were the speakers & Bro. M. W. Merrill dismissed. At the close of this meeting, one at which the General Authorities and the Stake Presidencies were present, was held at which a lengthy though informal consideration was had on the political situation. among the speakers were Prest Geo. Q. Cannon, & Elders C W Penrose, F. S. Richards, F. A. Hammond M. Thatcher, J. T. Caine, H. J. Grant, A. M Cannon, John W Young, J. R. Winder & E. D. Woolley. The Presidency & Twelve met in the prayer room at the Gardo House at 3. p.m. till 5.30 pm. The New Members of the Twelve were instructed as to their duties and were ordained as Apostles. by the First Presidency and Twelve. Prest Woodruff, mouth in ordaining Bro M. W. Merrill, Pres' Geo Q Cannon, mouth in ordaining Bro Anthon & Lund, and Pres. Jos. F. Smith, mouth in ordaining Bro. Abraham H. Cannon. Bro John Beal of Sanpete was ordained a Patriarch under the hands of Pres Geo. Q. Cannon & the Presidency & Twelve (p. 125) Bro Walter Cox of Provo, called and I gave him his Note for \$50000 which he gave me in security for that amount in last July. I had a very agreeable talk with Pres' D. H. Wells this afternoon - I wrote to Elizabeth.

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Tuesday October 8, 1889 The Presidency at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 21 recommends - Bro J. D T McAllister of St George Temple called and submitted a plan drawn by Bro. Geo. M. Ottinger for the reservoir pipes, valves, hydrants, taps &c- for the water works of the St George Temple was examined approved & the piping &c necessary was ordered through Z.C.M.I. I attended a meeting of the Presidency & Twelve & Presidency of the Arizona Stakes at the Gardo House Parlor at 3 p m - on the political situation in that Territory. Bro B. Young slept with me last night. I recd a letter from Elizabeth all well.

Wednesday October 9th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Pres' Woodruff signed 29 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter. Prest C. I Robson of Mesa, Arizona, called. He spoke of the orders given that the brethren in Arizona shall not sell their land & water to outsiders & explained their present circumstances &c on Mot. (sic) of Pres Geo. Q. Cannon it was decided (p. 126) that the restrictions laid upon the people at Mesa in regard to holding their surplus land be removed. Yet the brethren should use their best judgment and exertions in saving their homes. Pres Cannon did not deem it proper to have restrictions placed upon the people at Mesa, which were not upon the Saints in other places. At the request of Pres Jesse N. Smith for a Principal for their Stake Academy it was decided that Bro Levi M. Savage be called to the position of Principal of the Snowflake Stake Academy. & Bro E. M. Webb was relieved to attend to his duties as Bishop of the Woodruff Ward. Prests Woodruff & Cannon, attended a meeting at the Assembly Hall at 10 a.m. on political business. I attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of Z. S B & T. Co at 1 pm. Leonard called this evening. all well. (two or three lines erased and

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written over again)

Thursday October 10th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Pres' Jos. F.

Smith signed 28 & Prest Woodruff 5 recommends. I attended to our Mail. I attended a Meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at the Gardo House Prayer room at 1030 am to 330 p.m. (p. 127) The Apostles also held a meeting in the evening at 6. o'clock Prest. Jos. F. Smith, left this evening to be absent for a week. I received a letter for Elizabeth. and procured a pass for her on the D & R G. Rway to the City & return, & sent it with a letter to her.

Friday, October 11th 1889. Pres Woodruff at the Office. he signed 29

recommends The funeral services over the remains of Sister Emma Jennings Carlisle were held at the Jennings residence at 1 p m. At 415 p m

I attended a Meeting of the Presidency & Apostles. Mayor Armstrong & several members of the City Council of Salt Lake City. on the question of re-incorporating (sic) Salt Lake City under the law & other matters (sic) were considered. It was decided to not re-incorpate/- to not take a new census - to take some action on the City Election Ordinance - to proceed to the erection of a joint County & City building - to sell the Public Lands and improve the Streets. I received a letter from Sophia & answered it. I went to Leonards this evening.

Saturday, Oct 12, 1889. Prest Woodruff & Cannon, also Bros. A. H. Cannon,

C. H Wilcken, A Solomon & S Bateman left by this afternoon 350 train for Deseret. where it is intended to hold (p. 128) meetings with the Saints on Sunday, and on Monday examine the location for making a reservoir in the Sevier River, and the location for the canal to carry water to the land taken up by the Deseret & Salt Lake Canal Co also to examine the

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Said land. Elizabeth, Joseph, & Wilford came up from Provo this morning & I was much pleased to see them & spend the day with them.

Sunday Oct 13th 1889 I spent the day with Elizabeth & Leonards family. It rained some to-day. Monday, Oct 14th 1889. (written over one line which has been erased) I spent the day at Leonard's with my wife & Children and returned to the Gardo House this evening. Joseph accompanied me & remained with me all night. I signed 51 recommends to the Temples and examined our Mail. It rained some to-day & this evening, quite cool.

Tuesday Oct 15th 1889 I attended to our Mail Matter and signed 24 recommends. My wife Elizabeth & Wilford left for home on the train at 11 a.m. My Son Joseph commenced work at the Historians Office, Recording the Presidents Office (p. 129) Daily Journal. I provided him with the Record book, pens &c - and explained his labors. The Dowager Countess of Shrewsbury and Countess of Selkirk called at the Gardo with Ex Marshal Dyer, to-day. I sent for Bro Henry Crane to come and see me about my sheep in his herd. he did not come there being some mistake in carrying my message. I received a letter from Bro. S. S. Jones, Provo -

Wednesday October 16/89. Pres' Woodruff & Cannon returned by the 1010 a.m. train and came to the office. Prest Woodruff signed 72 recommends also those recd yesterday. I attended to our Mail. I attended a meeting of Directors of Z. S. B. & T. Co at 1 p m. Bp W. H Maughan of Wellsville & Bro Chas H Hall of Portage called. they were released from the Penitentiary last evening they are both in good health.

Thursday October 17, 1889 Pres Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 55 recommends. I attended to our Mail. I attended the usual meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at the G. H. Prayer room at

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2.30 p. m. A letter was written to Bro Jos H. Dean, at Apia, (p. 130) Samoa, and a draft for \$50000 for the Mission & \$10000 for Bro Dean was enclosed. Several public letters were written & sent.

Friday, October 18/89. Prests Woodruff & Cannon, at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 35 recommends A Meeting of the Presidency & Twelve who are in the City - The Mayor, City Council & Political Committee met at the Gardo House parlor at 10 a m until 2 p. m. Pres Woodruff & Cannon Apostles B Young, F. M. Lyman H. J. Grant, & A H. Cannon also J. W Young, S. B Young & C W Penrose met in the office. I was also present. The question of taking down the Endowment House was submitted by Bro. Penrose. After consideration Elder B. Young moved that the Endowment House be taken down, but that the font with the drressing (sic--dressing) rooms be preserved for baptismal purposes. Secd & Card - (seconded & carried) A telegram was sent to Prest Lorenzo Snow, asking him to come to the City tomorrow or Sunday. I recd a letter from Elizabeth & answered it. I wrote to Bp Thos R Cutler of Lehi for some butter & eggs. This has been a very busy day. The Presidency purpose making a trip to our settlement of Lee's (p. 131) Creek, Alberta N. W. Territory, Canada.

Saturday, October 19, 1889. Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 28 recommends. I attended to our letters &c. A cablegram was sent for Bro Duncan McAllister to return home. he being honorably released from his mission to England. I sent the message in Cipher to Pres Geo Teasdale. F. S. Richards was blessed & set apart for his trip to Washington D. C. to appear in the Supreme Court in the Idaho Test oath case by Prests Woodruff & Cannon & Elder B Young. \$30000

was also appropriated for the expenses of himself & Son. Orders were signed on the Presiding Bishop for \$4466⁶⁷ Salary of Presidency & Twelve for November - & \$150000 for Salaries of clerks &c. for Nov. \$17500 was appropriated for Bro Jacob Gates, 10000 for the use of his 1st Wife at St George & 7500 for his fine & costs at Provo 1st Dist Court. A letter was sent to Pres Jos F Smith informing him of the intention for him to go on the trip North. He returned to his home this evening to get ready. A large number of public letters were received and answered to-day. We have been (p. 132) very busy getting up the correspondence Arrangements were made for Pres Woodruff & party to leave the Fort Douglass Railway Depot on Monday Morning at 430 on a special train provided by Hon. John W. Young for Pocattello (sic) Idaho. Pres Geo Q Cannon, however will go on the Utah Central to Ogden on Sunday evening train thence by Utah & Northern to Pocattelo (sic) on Monday. The necessary arrangements were made for the journey. Before leaving Pres Woodruff instructed me to see after the affairs of the office and sign the recommends to the Temples. that Pres L. Snow would take the charge of affairs during the absence of the Party. As we had a number of letters to prepare for Signature. I did not leave the office so as to get them ready & signed to-morrow.

Sunday, October 20th/89. Pres Geo Q Cannon called at the office before the afternoon Meeting. and afterwards preached at the Tabernacle meeting at 2 p m. and called again at the Office. as Pres L Snow did not call he left instructions with me for Pres Snow to (p. 133) take charge of affairs during the absence of the First Presidency. I wrote to Pres Joseph F. Smith, about my going to Washington, this winter, as Bro J. T.

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Caine and I had spoken together about it. Sophia called for a short time. In the evening I went to the Presidents Office and examined my desk and found some papers I wanted.

Monday, October 21st 1889. Pres W. Woodruff & Wife, Prt Joseph F Smith & Elder B. Young, sister C Y. Cannon left by a special train this morning at 530. Bro John W. Young & some ladies were also passengers for the trip to Pocatello & return. Pres Geo Q. Cannon will join them at Pocatello and the party will proceed via Portland, Tacoma, Victoria, Vancouver and the Canadian Pacific Railway to Dominion, thence to Lethbridge and team to Lee's Creek. to be absent 3 or 4 weeks. Pres L Snow arrived by train yesterday afternoon and not knowing what he was sent for, thought that to call this morning would be soon enough. He came, and upon learning what was required he made his arrangements accordingly. (p. 134)

I attended to our Mail & signed 27 recommends It rained most of the day.

Tuesday October 22, 1889 Pres' L. Snow at the office this afternoon. I examined our Mail & signed 32 recommends to the Temples, and answered some public letters. I informed Bp R T Burton & architect D.C. Young in regard to taking down the Endowment House and building up a neat building over the font for Baptismal purposes. Sent a telegram to Portland informing the President that Bro Snow is here. I received letters from Elizabeth, Geo. A. & G.A. Shumway, and answered them. Bro McHenry called. Sophia called this afternoon for an hour - I spoke to Bro D.C. Young about Leonard & his work in the Temple. He said he wanted to give him some good work.

Wednesday, October 23, 1889. Prest L. Snow went home this morning by 6 oclock train. I attended to our correspondence & signed 50 recommends

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to the Temples. I rec(eive)d a (p. 155) letter from Bp. T. R. Cutler of
Lehi & 24 lbs of butter & 12 1/2 dozen eggs.

Thursday, October 24, 1889. I attended to our Mail & signed 27 recommends.

The telegram to Portland was not delivered could not find the President.

Bro John W Taylor called and we talked about his wishing to purchase Sophia's
land in the Homestead of her fathers estate. I promised to give him an
answer whether I would sell or lease the same. I wrote to C. A. Hunt.

Leonard called this afternoon. Bro S. Bateman spent the evening with me.

Bro McHenry called he goes to Provo tomorrow to look at my Southfield
land if he wants to purchase, my price is \$1000.00

Friday October 25th 1889 I attended to business and signed 22 recommends.

I recd a letter from Bp L. C. Mariger, Kanab, offering \$30000 for my
Kanab House & Lot. Bro John T. Caine handed me 2 vols of Cattle & Diary
farming also the 5th vol of Bureau of Ethnology. - I talked with Bro.
W- A. Rossiter on prices of land &c and concluded to let Bro John W Taylor
have Sophias land for \$2500 per Mo. on (p. 136) a lease for one year. Bro
H. B. Clawson gave me Tickets for the Gilmore Concerts for 9 admissions
next Thursday & Friday.

Saturday October 26th 1889. I attended our Mail & signed 25 recommends.

and received a letter from Pres Woodruff at Portland Oregon Oct 23rd
He & party arrived there on Tuesday night all well. they purposed leav-
ing on Wednesday night at 10 Oclock by rail. I sent my tax notices to
Bro Jas Jack to be paid - and went with Joseph to Leonards tonight. found
all well -

Sunday October 27, 1889 Spent the day in conversation, reading &c and
returned to the Gardo this evening. I let Leonard have 11 lbs of butter,

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& 6 dozen eggs. Sophia 9 lbs of butter & 6 1/2 doz eggs & Jos for Thos. 4 lbs of butter It rained most of the day. I received a letter from Elizabeth on my return. Joseph accompanied me & staid all night.

Monday, October 28, 1889 I attended to our business, and signed 14 recommends. It rained this morning, turned to snowing about 10 am & continued snowing till 4 p m and then rained (p. 137) till night. Bro McHenry called & offered me \$95000 for my Provo Land. I did not take it. I administered to Sister Lovina Marks with her father (Bro S. J Sudbury) & Bro. C. H. Wilcken.

Tuesday, October 29, 1889. I attended to our Mail & signed 16 recommends A fine clear day. Bros F M Lyman & J H Smith called - I paid Bro J. H Smith for the taxes on Sophias House. Ter. Co. & School \$2208 City \$9.20 special School \$230 for 1889. = \$33.58. This property is assessed at \$2800.00 I gave on Bro Jas Jack for the amount. I wrote to Bro. J. W. Taylor about Sophia's land. Sophia called. I had a talk with Bro John Beck on Mining Matters &c -.

Wednesday October 30, 1889 I received & answered some of our public letters, and signed 13 recommends; Pres L. Snow arrived this afternoon & came to the office. It rained, Snowed, Hailed and sun shine at intervals all day. quite chilly. I wrote to Bp T. R Cutler Lehi & sent order for \$913 for butter & eggs. I talked with Bro McHenry about my Provo Southfield land 5 1/4 acre & sold it to him for \$100000. I wrote to Bro Henry Crane, Herriman about my sheep - (p. 138) I procured a pass for Elizabeth & one & sent it to her in a letter. I had another talk with John Beck. I wrote to Bro S. S. Jones. Leonard called & I gave him 2 tickets to the Gilmore Concert.

Thursday, October 31, 1889. Pres L. Snow at the office. I attended to our mail and signed 27 recommends. a fine clear day. I received my Utah Co & Provo City Tax receipts for 1889 I wrote to Bro W. D Johnson Jr. in Mexico, also to Bp L. C. Mariger at Kanab about my House & Lot there, and received a telegram from Elizabeth that she will come tonight. I accompanied Bros Sudbury & S. Marks to the Gilmore Concert at the large Tabernacle tonight. & had a most enjoyable time, it was quite an event in my life. Elizabeth & Elizabeth Ann & babes arrived tonight at 10 oclock. Joseph met them at the D & R G. depot.

Friday November 1st 1889. This is the Anniversary of the birth of the late President John Taylor. Pres L Snow went home to Brigham City this Morning. he has a daughter very sick. I attended to our Mail and signed 56 recommends. Mr R S. Gilmore & his Band had another Concert this afternoon. Sophia & her cousin attended. Elizabeth Harrison (p.139) This afternoon there was a chorus of 1200 children & this evening our home chorus of 500 adults also on last evening. I attended the Concert again this evening, also arranged for Elizabeth, E. Ann & her children & Joseph to attend which they did. They eat their lunch with me to-day & spent some 3 hours with me. I went down with them to Leonards after the Concert. This has been a great event.

Saturday Nov 2/89. I attended to our letters & signed 7 recommends. Spent the day with Elizabeth & Leonards family.

Sunday, Nov 3, 1889 Spent the day with my folks at Leonards Thomas, Harriet & babes came in the evening. I had a good time in visiting, and talking with my wife on home affairs &c. I returned to the Gardo House this evening. Joseph accompanied me & staid all night.

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Monday Nov 4th 1889. Elizabeth & E Ann left by this Mornings train at 10 oclock for home. Joseph saw them to the depot. I attended to our Mail & signed 45 recommends. A fine clear day but quite cool. Sophia called this afternoon Leonora has some fever & a croupy cough. (p. 140)

Tuesday Nov. 5, 1889. I attended to our mail and signed 23 recommends to the Temples. a fine pleasant day. Clear & cool. I recd a letter from Bro S. S. Jones, Provo & answered it. I wrote to C. A. Hunt. Bro S. Bateman called this evening. He & Bro S. J. Sudbury say there are several of the Saints who are disturbed in their minds in regard to a published interview in the "Salt Lake Herald" from the "St Louis Globe Democrat" of a Reporter & Pres W Woodruff. They seem to believe this mans lies, against the well Known integrity of Pres Woodruff and want him to explain in some way so as to refute the sayings of this Man. I have not been feeling well today have some cold.

Wednesday Nov 6, 1889. I attended to our business, and signed 21 recommends. I attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Des Tel. Co. at 11 a m. present, John Sharp, Jas Jack, Geo Reynolds, L. John Nuttall & Wm B. Dougall. LeGrand Young atty. \$15000 was appropriated to pay for cost of neglect in one of our operators failing to send a message from Manti to (p. 141) Brigham City this will stop further proceedings for collection of damages claimed. I received a letter from Elizabeth and answered it. received letter from Henry Crane on Sheep. Sophia called Leonara some better of her cough & fever. I collected the dividends due at Z.C.M.I. for self, Elizabeth & Sophia - \$17000 & paid my bills to date. I am quite unwell to-day.

Thursday Nov 7, 1889 I attended to our business and signed 26 recom-

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mends. Ex Marshall Dyer called at the Gardo this morning with two gentlemen to view the house & furniture with a view to having the same insured. I went down stairs while they passed through the house. James Jack started for Los Angeles, this Morning. I spent a bad night last night and am quite sick this morning. I had sister Sudbury make me a cup of tea and I felt better. I have arranged to have Joseph sleep with me. I received a letter from Bro. John W. Taylor in reply to mine of Oct 29th I walked out this evening for an hour.

Friday Nov 8/89 I slept better last night and feel some better this morning. Yet have a cough. I attended to our business and signed 28 recommends. (p. 142) I received a letter from Elizabeth with a description of my South field land, and answered her. In the Probate Court yesterday, the commissioners report on the division of the property of the Estate of the Late President John Taylor was approved & the Court ordered the distribution made in accordance therewith I paid Bro A Solomon as Treasurer \$5000 the 1st assessment on my Deseret Land business. Bro S. Bateman called he cannot get off to go a trip north.

Saturday Nov 9th/89. I attended to our Mail &c. and signed 35 recommends - a clear warm day. Albert Jones was released from the Penitentiary this Morning. Sophia & children have severe coughs & colds. my cough is very fast, yet I feel some better to-day In the U. S. 3rd Dist Court today Judge Anderson presiding in the cases of admission to citizenship in the U.S. a brother John Moore having passed all questions & before being sworn a Mr Hurd & Mr Jos. Lipman asked him if he had taken an oath in the Endowment House against the government of the United States, to which he answered No. But these men insisted that such an oath is

taken. Atty B. W. (p. 143) Driggs Jr said that Mr Lipman's statement was untrue and objected to the Court considering the rites of any secret organization upon the assertion of an officious and irresponsible person. The Court ruled if any Organization requires an oath against the Government, we have the right to get at it, After further remarks. The Court said The issue will be confined to ascertaining whether there is required of those who go through the Endowment House an Oath that is inconsistent with the duties of a citizen. Other sacred rites or obligations shall not be interfered with. Congress has made special laws against this organization and its members, and if there is an oath that is incompatible with the duties of a citizen, that fact should be Known, Mr Lipman was granted authority to subpoena witnesses to testify before the Court on Thursday next at 10. O'clock a.m. Bro C W Penrose called and stated he had been informed that Mr Lipman will furnish a list of names and several of the Authorities will be suppoenad. (sic) as witnesses as the enemy have made their brags of exposing all the Endowments before they get through with the investigation. (p. 144) As President Woodruff & Council are away and may return some time during next week. I deemed it proper to try & learn of their where abouts so that they may be apprised of this action. Whereupon I sent for Supt W. B. Dougall of the Deseret Telegraph Co. and I wrote out a telegram to Capt Willard Young at Portland Oregon asking him to arrange to see the brethren on their arrival and ask them to telegraph here where a letter can reach them. A similar telegram was sent to Mr Brown Paso "Agent C. P. R R. at Vancouver B. C. Also a telegram to Pres' L. Snow at Brigham City asking him to come to the City. Ex Sheriff John W Tanner called & reported his labors

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in trying to obtain a pardon for Bro Joseph Clark of Provo from the Penitentiary as he is sick with consumption &c. & likely to die if not removed. Bro Turner has a very strong petition to President Harrison, & I arranged to have it sent by telegraph and to be paid for. Bro S. Bateman called this evening. he cant go on our trip north as Bro Snow comes tomorrow I shall stop to meet him. I took some yarrow tea to-night & Joseph slept with me. (p. 145)

Sunday, Nov 10, 1889 I was at the Gardo House all day. rested and read Leonard & Joseph called after meeting for a short time. Bro B H Schetler called and I had a nice talk with him on Bank matters &c He fixed Sophia's bank book for her. Prest L. Snow arrived on the afternoons train & came to the office. I explained to him what I had done, all of which he approved of. he will remain for a few days. I walked out with Joseph & Bro. Sudbury for an hour this evening. It has been somewhat stormy today. I took some yarrow tea on going to bed. Joseph slept with me.

Monday, Nov 11/89. I attended to our business and signed 32 recommends. Pres' L Snow came to the office from 11 a.m to 1215 m also again for a short time in the afternoon. Bro Thos F. Roueche called for a short time. he & family are all well. I received a letter from Elizabeth, all well at home. It was arranged for the brethren of the Twelve now in the City to meet at 4 o'clock p m to-morrow. Joseph slept with me.

Tuesday Nov 12, 1889. I attended to our business and signed 37 recommends Bro L. Snow called this morning. It has been cloudy all day. Elizabeth came up from Provo on this mornings train and (p. 146) called to see me. I was much surprised to see her as I was not expecting her. she felt

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that she must come as I had been so unwell. She brought a rough draft for a house that George wants to build for my examination. I looked at it & made some suggestions for changes, and proposed that he write to me setting forth what material he has on hand & what he wants towards the house. Elizabeth took lunch with me and staid till 3 p.m. when she left with Joseph to return by the 350 p.m. train for home. I was very glad to see her. At 4 p.m. Pres L. Snow, & Apostles M. Thatcher, John Henry Smith, H J. Grant & A. H Cannon, also Bros C. W Penrose James H Moyle & myself met at the Gardo House office. The question before the U. S. 3rd Dist. Court on Naturalization and the supposed Oaths made in the Endowment House & was presented by Bro. Moyle for consideration, that whatever steps, if any needed, may be taken so as to be ready for the Court on Thursday at 10. a.m. It was deemed proper for some of our brethren to be present in Court on Thursday whether they are subpoenaed by our enemies or not, and give testimony that no such oath is required of any Latter-day Saints against the Government of the United States in the Endowment House or elsewhere. That this is an opportune time for the Church to declare itself against these (p. 147) foul untruths so often repeated. It was agreed to have a number of brethren invited to meet tomorrow evening at 730 o'clock at the Gardo House office. Telegrams were sent to Bros. A. H. Lund at Manti & to Bros M. W. Merrill & A. D. Thatcher at Logan to be present at the Meeting. Other matters were spoken of and adjourned. It snowed some this evening, Joseph slept with me.

Wednesday Nov 13, 1889. Snowed some during the night. Cloudy to-day.

I attended to our business and signed 15 recommends. Sophia called this

afternoon. Bro McHenry called and I had some talk with him about the deed for my Provo land sold to him. At 7.30 p.m. Pres L. Snow, Apostles M Thatcher, John Henry Smith, H. J. Grant, John W. Taylor, M. W. Merrill A. H Lund & A. H. Cannon also Bros. Aaron D. Thatcher, E. G. Woolley, John Clark, John E. Carlisle, Richd W. Young James H. Moyle, LeGrand Young, Jas. H. Anderson, W. W. Riter, Frank Jennings, C. W. Penrose & myself met at the G. H. office. Pres. L. Snow stated the object of the meeting, & referred to the rulings of Judge Anderson on the Naturalization of Citizens, his objections to Mormons and the efforts (p. 148) to bring before the Court the Endowment House ceremonies. He requested Bro Moyle to lay before the Meeting anything further that should be said. He also referred to the meeting held last night. Bro Moyle referred to the rulings of the Court & what he thought would be required of the witnesses before the Court. He suggested that some of the brethren who may be called upon might be asked some questions so that some idea may be had as to what can be answered. This was approved. Bro. Moyle asked several questions of Bros John H. Smith, A. H. Lund & M. W. Merrill also of Bro. A. D. Thatcher, John Clark W. W. Riter, E. G. Woolley, Frank Jennings & Jas. H. Anderson which was quite satisfactory. It was decided that the following brethren attend the Court to-morrow and if wanted that they testify. viz. John H. Smith, M. W. Merrill, A. H. Lund, A. D. Thatcher, John Clark, E. G. Woolley, & J. H. Anderson Bro. C. W. Penrose said the Central Committee had suggested that 1 or 2 outside lawyers be employed to assist our lawyers in this business Bro LeGrand Young did not think it to be necessary to employ any outside lawyers. No action taken (p.149)

Thursday, Nov 14th 1889. It snowed a little last night, the ground cov-

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ered this morning. Prest L. Snow at the office for a short time. I attended to our business and signed 20 recommends. We learn by telegraph from Mr D. E. Brown at Vancouver B. C. that Prest Woodruff & party were expected to reach Tacoma last night. They may be at Portland to-day. At the U. S. Dist. Court, this morning a number of apostates had been subpoenaed and they were given every opportunity to say all they desired in regard to the Endowments &c. R. N. Basken & W H. Dickson are employed on the part of the Liberals & Le Grand Young. J H Moyle & R W Young for the Peoples Party. John Bond, Martin D Wardell, James McGuffie, Andrew Cahoon, James Spillet, Chas Gilmore and Joseph Silver, Apostates were sworn & testified in a very bitter vindictive manner. Bro Moyle also testified as one of their witness but refused to give the Endowment House ceremonies. Judge Anderson allowed all Kinds of evidence to be admitted. notwithstanding the (p. 150) objections of our attorneys. I wrote out a telegram in cipher & sent to Pres Woodruff at Portland informing him of what is now going on. At 7.30 p. m. Prest. L. Snow, Apostles J. H. Smith, H. J. Grant M. W. Merrill & A H Lund, also Bros LeGrand Young, J. H Moyle R. W. Young, C. W. Penrose, A D. Thatcher J. H Anderson, F. Jennings, S. R. Thurman, E. Stevenson & myself met at the G. H. office. The proceedings of the day were spoken of - Pres Snow said I shall be very much disappointed if after this investigation we dont come out all the brighter for it, and make a good record for the Church xxx (sic) As witnesses in that court we have a right to the spirit of the Lord. This is His work and He will stand by us in doing our best to maintain it. The question of testifying to any of the Endowments or instructions was considered some thought that the instructions given about praying to the Lord to avenge the blood of the Prophets and referring to the 6th

Chap' of Revelations of John 9th & 10th verses so as to refute the testimony which has been given today, would be proper, others thought it should not be mentioned as fully &c. Bro E Stevenson was asked (p.151) some questions as to memory &c. The propriety of Bros. Merrill, Lund & Thatcher going onto the Stand was discussed as they are so intimate with the Temple labors - also that these who are expected to testify should be subpoenaed, so that they would be properly in court. After talking upon these matters the brethren of the Apostles & Elder Thatcher & myself remained. After consideration, It was decided that the witnesses should meet at Bro. Moyle's office at 9 a. m to-morrow where they could be subpoenaed. Prest. L. Snow was of the opinion that Bros. Merrill & Lund and Thatcher could go onto the Stand and testify that there were no such oaths, obligations or covenants required in the Endowments, but if they should be asked what did transpire there they could refuse to answer. Bro. John Henry Smith, asked if there would be any objections to his referring to what is written in the Revelations of St. John in regard to prayer &c. by way of rebuttal. Bro. Snow answered No! that it would be proper for him to do so and that Bros Merrill & Lund could corroborate (sic) that; but that none of the brethren should give any of the Endowments or instructions (p. 152) but refuse to answer questions to that end. With this understanding the following brethren will be subpoenaed and if necessary will testify. Viz: John Henry Smith, M. W. Merrill, A. H. Lund, A. D. Thatcher E. G. Woolley, John Clark, James H. Anderson, Heber M. Wells. I made out a deed for myself & wife Elizabeth to Bro James Wills McHenry for my South field land, sold to him 5 1/4 acres for \$100000 and had it acknowledged by Bro Nephi W Clayton a Notary Public & signed

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by Bro Arthur Winter. I sent the deed with a letter to Elizabeth & asked her to sign it and acknowledge it before a proper office & return it to me. - Bp John. P.R. Johnson, my Bishop at Provo, called to see me, and I had a good talk with him, when he was leaving he asked me if I could assist them with some means on the Ward Meeting House which I promised to do - In conversation with Bro C. H Wilcken about our Deseret Land he promised to find out if I can pay some Tithing office pay on my assessments & let me know. Joseph slept with me tonight. we did not get to bed until near 11 oclock. (p. 153)

Friday Nov 15, 1889 The U.S. Court is in session again today commencing at 9 a m. I attended to our Mail matter and signed 10 recommends - I received letters from Elizabeth Geo. A. & Wilford, also from Sophia with some cough medicine in a bottle. Pres L. Snow, J.H. Smith, H.J. Grant, M.W. Merrill & A.H. Lund called at the office at noon and talked on the Mornings business in court. Bro John Henry Smith was called by the Pres & testified the St George Temple was dedicated in April 1877. Levi Axtell, Vincent Shurtliff testified afterwhich Mr Dickson & Baskin read extracts from the "Deseret News" "Jounral of Discourses" and purpose reading some more in the Morning when they will close - Bro John W. Young called & said he had recd a telegram from Brigham, which indicated that Prest Woodruff & party would return to-morrow evening. He was going to meet them with a special train at 6 a.m. at Pocatello, Idaho tomorrow. he left this City at 4 p m today with his special train. Bps W.H. Lee & A. Mc Kinnon of Woodruff & Randolph called and asked for counsel in regard to their Ward Meeting Houses. Judge Henderson's decision in (p. 154) the Woodruff case having taken the Meeting House from the people.

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As this is a matter that may require some action in regard to other Meeting Houses, these brethren were told to lay their cases before Bros Young & Moyle the Church attorneys & report. Bro Seymour B. Young was requested to hunt up some rebuttal testimony to that given by Martin D. Wardell yesterday. Bro Wm A. Rossiter was with that train and knows nothing of the circumstances so related by Wardell. At 745 p m Prest L. Snow, Apostles F. M. Lyman, J. H. Smith H. J Grant, M. W. Merrill, A. H. Lund & Bros Le. Grand Young J. H Moyle, A D. Thatcher, C. W. Penrose, E. G. Woolley, Jas H. Anderson & myself met at the Gardo House. The proceeding of the day in Court were commented upon. It is expected that the Liberals will conclude their side soon after the opening of Court in the Morning. when our side will come on our witnesses as named will go onto the Stand after which such documentary evidence as we have will be read. Bro Penrose will hunt up the documentary evidence and be subpoenaed so as to testify on the Blood atonement spoken of. After meeting I had some talk with Bros Lyman & (p. 155) Grant and gave my request to obtain some of the Stock of the Coop Wagon Co - Bro Grant said I could have some. Joseph slept with me - Saturday, Nov 16, 1889. I attended to our business and signed 24 recommends - I received a letter from Prest Jos F. Smith at Lee's Creek Nov 3rd with 2 enclosures for his wives which I sent to them. In Court this morning Apostle John Henry Smith testified after the other side had closed by reading some more articles the prayer of Pres Woodruff at St George Temple &c - Bros Snow Smith Merrill & Lund called at the office at noon & reported. it was deemed proper that Bro Merrill should not go onto the Stand & testify, but Bro Lund & the other brethren could go on & be blessed in so doing. Bro Lund, John Clark E. G. Woolley J H.

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Anderson & A D. Thatcher testified this afternoon. Pres Geo. Q. Cannon arrived at 4 pm & called at the office Prest Woodruff & party are expected this evening at 830 on Bro Youngs special train. Sophia called for awhile this afternoon all well. Bro John W. Turner called this afternoon & I had some talk with him on Provo affairs. A few of the brethren met at the office this evening and talked over the Court experience to-day.

(p. 156) Pres Woodruff & Jos F Smith & Elder B Young returned this evening by train and were met by friends Bro John Kirkham brought me a letter from Henry Crane with \$1750 for my wool on 72 sheep. he does not say whether it is for 1888 or 1889. I have not read anything for 1888 before. I went to Leonards to night - Bro D R Bateman took me with his buggy. found all well.

Sunday, Nov. 17, 1889. I spent the day at Leonard's in conversation reading &c. Leonard went to Cottenwood. Brintons Ward on Missionary service his afternoon - I returned to the Gardo this evening. Joseph accompanied me & staid all night. At 730 p m. Prests Woodruff, Cannon & Smith, Apostles L. Snow, B Young, J H Smith H J Grand & A H Lund Also

AtteysLe Grand Young. J H Moyle & R W Young. & Bros E. G. Woolley, W. A. Rossiter, C W Penrose Joshua Bennett John W. Young, C. H. Wilcken & myself met at the Gardo office. The business before the court was explained and rebuttall testimony to that of Mr Wardell in the Green murder case on the plains in 1862 was found in Sister Scott of Meadowville. Horace Newall of Moab - John R Young of Loa, W. A. Rossiter & Joshua Bennett of Oasis- During the meeting Marshal A. Solomon reported that the Son of Mr Wardell was in the City & would testify that no such an occurence ever transpired as testified by his father- his daughter also. other names of witness (p.157) were taken to testify on Endowments

&c & Bro John W Young urged that some policy be defined in these matters.

Prest. Woodruff concluded to not stay so as to be subpoenaed. he left with Bro. LeGrand Young, Prest Cannon, proposed to be on hand and stand fire if necessary. Prest Jos F Smith staid at the Gardo with me.

Monday, Nov 18th 1889. Pres' Cannon & Smith at the office. I recd a letter from Bro H. B. Clawson at San Francisco, Cal. & sent him a telegram to return home as his mining accounts are disputed by the officers of the B B & C M Co. Bro Duncan M. McAllister returned from England on Saturday Night. He called this morning & reported his labors and gave me the respects of Prest Geo Teasdale. he is well. Heber John Richards E. L. T. Harrison, Geo Wardell, Bergen DeMott, George Sargent, W. A Rossiter, Jos R. Morgan, Mrs Wright Wm Wardell, Thos G. Webber, Spencer Clawson, testified and some documentary evidence was presented & read. At 4 p. m. Prest. Geo. Q. Cannon, Jos F. Smith, Apostles L. Snow, J. H. Smith, H. J. Grant, also Le Grand Young, J. H Moyle, R. W. Young, C. W. Penrose, E. G. Woolley, W. H. Rowe, Frank Jennings & myself met at the Gardo office The necessary evidence to present to the Court tomorrow was considered. Bro Jos. B. Noble, & Sisters B. W. Smith & M J Thompson were to be seen to testify that the Endowments as given by the Prophet Joseph were the same as given to-day (p. 158) Pres Jos F. Smith saw these sisters this evening & conversed with them & they are good witnesses and willing to testify It never was the view of any well informed Latter - day Saint that the Church will supercede the Government of the United States. Pres Woodruff came to the office this evening and after attending to some of his personal affairs he went to bed Pres Jos F. Smith signed 23 recommends to the Temples I receiv(e)d a letter from

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Elizabeth all well at home. also the deed properly signed for Bro. Mc-Henry. Joseph slept with me.

Tuesday, Nov 19, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 7 recommends. It rained some during the night. Recommends were signed by Pres' Woodruff for Bro Daniel Graves & wives of Provo for their 2nd anointings. his wives names are Elizabeth Sarah Baker, Mary Newman, and Selina World. I wrote to Elizabeth, Geo A & Wilford. In the 3rd Dist Court to-day before Judge Anderson in the Naturalization case the following testified. Mrs Barbara Bridges, E. G. Woolley, J. E Landford Isaac Whitaker, C. W. Penrose Mrs Emma Grover James Millard James T. Smith, Bro Penrose furnished some very strong documentary (p. 159) evidence, and when being cross examined and being asked "how many wives have you Mr P." he refused to answer. The Court ruled that the question was proper. after argument the Court held Bro Penrose in contempt but gave him till tomorrow at 10 a.m to answer before commitment. Bro. P. called at the Office and his position was considered It was deemed proper with the light now before the brethren that Bro Penrose should refuse to answer, but as the lawyer's have the matters in hand they can best decide

Wednesday Nov 20, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 23 recommends & I signed 5 recommends Bro Penrose went to court this morning with his attorneys, and upon being questioned again he refused to answer. whereupon he was sentenced to be imprisoned until he would answer. he being in contempt of court. The court adjourned till 10 a m tomo(rrow) The Attorneys came to the office and the situation of Bro Penrose was considered pro & Con. afterwhich Bro LeGrand Young & S. R. Thurman proposed to go & have an interview with Bro P. It, however,

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was the feeling's of the brethren that Bro P. should decline to answer (p. 160) because the other side would continue with their questions until they would again bring him into contempt as it appeared their intention to have Bro P. imprisoned. I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z. S. B & T Co at 1 p m. nothing importance transacted. At the request of Bro Penrose through Bro Le Grand Young. Prests Woodruff & Cannon met with him at the Presidents office at 3 p m for a short time. He came there with a Deputy Marshal. At 4 p m. I attended a meeting of the Stockholders of the Deseret & Salt Lake Canal Co. when instructions from the General Land office in relation to entrys on reserved lands was read. A Comty of five. - B. Y. Hampton, John T. Caine, Francis Cope, F. J. Cannon & John Nicholson - was appointed to enquire whether this ruling interferes with the lands entered by members of this company, and report. adjourned. Pres Woodruff & Cannon attended the birthday anniversary of Sister M. I. Horne at her residence this evening at 7.30 she is 71 years old. Elder N. M. Lyman called he started tomorrow morni(n)g to attend the Millard Stake Conference. (p. 161)

Thursday Nov 21st 1889 The Presidency at the office this morning also Elder B. Young. Pres Woodruff signed 2 recommends. I recd a letter from Bro Peter W. Conover of Provo, asking for some assistance from the Church. the Presidency allowed him \$5000 in Produce. Pres Geo Q. Cannon was subpoenaed to appear before the 3rd Dist court as a witness for the Prosecution in the Moore Naturalization case. he went at 2 p. m. with his sons John Q. & Frank J. and testified & return(e)d at 3 p m. The attorneys for the Defense met at the office this evening and talked with the Presidency on the case in Court. Bro B H Schettler called and sub-

mitted a proposition of Bro John W Young regarding the sale of the Forest Farm to a Syndicate. Prests Woodruff, Cannon & Smith B Young, John W Young, B H Schettler & myself were named as the Syndicate. It was decided to have a plot of the Ground be made out into small lots, & submitted again for further consideration and Bro. J W Young & B H Schettler were requested to attend to this matter. Pres Woodruff has a very severe cold at his request I gave him a warm bath, and he took some strong tea & went to bed. I received \$1500 the 75th Dividend (p. 162) of the Salt Lake City Gas Company on my 10 Shares I wrote to Sophia.

Friday, Nov. 22, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff some better but not entirely relieved. He signed 25 recommends Supt. M B Dougall called and read an interview with Pres Woodruff which was examined and corrected, and forwarded to the Associated Press for publication by Supt. Dougall. A bill of the History Company for 1000 copies of the Bancroft History of Utah - \$337500 was allowed and ordered paid. I received a letter from Bro. S. S. Jones, Provo, enclosing one for Bro Joseph F Smith. Pres Woodruff asked me to write up his private journal on his trip North which I commenced

Saturday Nov 23, 1889. Prests Cannon & Smith at the office - Pres Smith signed 24 recommends. I attended to our mail matter. Bro John T Caine called on his way to the Railway depot to go to Ogden tonight. & thence in the morning to Washington D C. to attend to his Congressional duties. (p. 163) The Church attorneys & John W Young met at the office with Prests Cannon & Smith to consider the property of putting further testimony in Court more fully explaining the instructions to pray for the avenging the blood of the prophets in the Endowments, also in regard to anointing the

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arm. Bro Young felt it will be a proper time to state in Court that instructions have been given by the Presidency that no more plural marriages shall be solemnized, &c - Pres Cannon was not in favor of such action and said that Pres' Woodruff was the only one to decide that. Bro Young suggested that to have time to see Pres Woodruff the attorneys should ask to have the case continued till Monday Morning. this was approved & it was proposed that Bro Young see Pres Woodruff tomorrow. Bro McHenry handed me a deposit check on Z.S.B.&T.Co. for \$100000 to pay for my Southfield land. I wrote to Elizabeth & sent McHenry's deed to be recorded at his request. I wrote to Bro Peter W Conover & sent him two orders for 2500 each on Provo & Springville Tithing offices this amount having been appropriated in his behalf by the First Presidency - I also wrote to Bp Evan Wride at Provo on the matter of Sister W B Pace. Bro S. Bateman called for me & I went to Leonards tonight found all well. (p. 164)

Sunday Nov 24, 1889. I spent the day at Leonards in reading &c Thomas called in the afternoon. Bro D R Bateman called for me with a buggy this evening & took me to the Gardo House. I found Pres Woodruff there. He with Pres Geo Q Cannon had met this afternoon with Bro. John W. Young. LeGrand Young, Jas H Moyle & R W. Young to consider the matters as presented & talked upon yesterday, and the question was left with Pres Woodruff to decide. The President told me of this & said that he had made the subject a matter of prayer and by the voice of the spirit he was directed to write after he had concluded writing which he was doing when I arrived. he asked me to copy a Revelation which he had received - I did so. Having heard Bro J W Youngs reasoning. I felt very much worked up in my feelings for I did not feel that as a church we could assume the

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position in regard to Celestial Marriage which he seemed to desire should be taken, and when Pres' Woodruff commended talking to me this evening I felt that he had become converted and actually trembled, for I knew such had not been Prest Woodruff's feelings before, but as I wrote at his dictation. I felt better all the time and when completed I felt as light and (p. 165) joyous as it is possible to feel, for I was satisfied that Pres Woodruff had received the word of the Lord. When Pres Jos. F. Smith returned and read the revelation he was moved to tears and expressed his approval and acceptance of the word of the Lord to His Servants & Saints. We all felt well and thankful to the Lord. Prest Woodruff remained with us at the Gardo House tonight. (see page 168) (sic)

Monday Nov 25th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 19 recommends - Prest Geo. Q. Cannon expressed his satisfaction at the mind of the Lord as given to Prest Woodruff in the matter spoken of yesterday & Saturday. Bro John W. Young also called and was informed by Pres Woodruff of his decision on Court matters, with which he said he was fully satisfied. By letter to Prest Geo Teasdale Liverpool. Bros J. M. Sjodahl & W. H Smart were released to return home from the Turkish Mission on account of ill health. I attended a meeting of the Deseret & Salt Lake Canal Company at 5 oclock p m. Bro C W Penrose was discharged by order of Judge Anderson this evening & Bro J H Moyle brought him from the pen about 8 oclock (p. 166) I received a letter from Elizabeth all well at home.

Tuesday Nov. 26th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 5 recommends. Bro C. W. Penrose, called and reported himself and his release from the Penitentiary. I attended a meeting of the Deseret &

Salt Lake Canal Company. The Committee reported their labors in examining in regard to the reservoir, &c and find that the Land office officials have received instructions in regard to our reservoir site which is considered favorable. Letters were sent by the Presidency & by Secty A Jensen to Hon John T. Caine at Washington D. C. with a request that he have the matter made right at the Gnl (sic) Land office Dept. & with Major Powell. I wrote out answers to a number of public letters. A letter was received from Tom R. Galbraith expressing his wishes to return to Ireland and his disgust at Mormonism. I have expected something of this Kind, but it came sooner than I expected. He is certainly an impostor. (p. 167) Bp. J. P. R. Johnson called for a short time and I told him of the action taken in regard to Bro J. F. Dunn. that he should go and fill his mission. the Bp said he was satisfied.

Wednesday Nov 27, 1889 The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 26 recomm(e)nds. I attended to our Mail Matter. I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z. S. B. & T. Co. at 10 am. a request of John W. Young to get some money from the Bank was considered. a resolution was adopted whereby he can get \$40,00000 on loan if he complys with the requirements as set forth in the resolution. He appears to be a very unsafe man to do business with. There was considerable public business attended to today - I received a letter from C. A. Hunt. I wrote to Elizabeth and sent her a pass to come to the City on Friday, which I obtained through Bro W. C. Spence. I recd a letter from Sophia and answered it. The brethren all left this evening to spend the day tomorrow with their families. on Thanksgiving day. I wrote some public letters and sent the draft to the History Company of \$3375.00 in payment for 1000 copies of the History of

Utah. I also wrote a letter to Bro J. D. T. McAllister, St George for Pres' Woodruff. (p. 168) Revelation of Pres' Woodruff, Sunday Nov 24th 1889.

Thus Saith the Lord, to my Servant Wilford, I the Lord have heard they prayers and thy request, and will answer thee by the voice of my spirit. Thus Saith the Lord, unto my Servants, the Presidency of my Church, who hold the Keys of the Kingdom of God on the earth. I the Lord hold the destiny of the Courts in your midst, and the destiny of this Nation, and all other nations of the earth in mine own hands; all all that I have revealed, and promised and decreed concerning the generation in which you live, shall come to pass, and no power shall stay my hand. Let not my Servants who are called to the Presidency of my church, deny my word or my law, which concerns the Salvation of the Children of Men, Let them pray for the Holy Spirit, which shall be given them to guide them in their acts. Place not yourselves in jeopardy to your enemies by promise; your enemies seek your distruction and the distruction of my people. If the Saints will hearken unto my voice, and the counsel of my Servants the wicked shall not prevail. Let my servants, who officiate as your Counselors before the Courts, make their pleadings as they are moved upon by the Holy (p. 169) Spirit, without any further pledges from the Priesthood, and they shall be justified. I the Lord will hold the Courts, with the officers of Government, and the nation responsible for their acts towards the inhabitants of Zion. I, Jesus Christ, the Savior of the World, am in your midst. I am your advocate with the Father. Fear not little flock, it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the Kingdom. Fear not the wicked and ungodly. Search the Scriptures, for they are they

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which testify of me; also those revelations which I have given to my Servant Joseph, and to all my Servants since the world began, which are recorded in the records of divine truth. Those revelations contain the judgments of God, which are to be poured out upon all nations under the heavens, which include great babylon. These judgments are at the door, they will be fulfilled as God lives. Leave judgment with me, it is mine saith the Lord. Watch the signs of the times, and they will show the fulfillment of the words of the Lord. Let my servants call upon the Lord in mighty prayer, retain the Holy Ghost as your constant companion, and act as you are moved upon by that spirit, and all will be well with you. The wicked are (p. 170) fast ripening in inequity, and they will be cut off by the judgments of God. Great events await you and this generation, and are nigh at your doors. Awake, O Israel, and have faith in God, and His promises, and He will not forsake you. I the Lord will deliver my Saints from the dominion of the wicked, in mine own due time and way. I cannot deny my word, neither in blessings nor judgments. Therefore let mine Anointed gird up their loins, watch and be sober, and Keep my commandments. Pray always and faint not; exercise faith in the Lord and in the promises of God; be valient in the testimony of Jesus Christ. The eyes of the Lord and the Heavenly Hosts are watching over you and your acts. There-fore be faithful until I come. I come quickly, to reward every man according to the deeds done in the body, even so. Amen.

Thursday Nov 28th 1889 This is Thanksgiving day, and observed as a holiday. I am alone at the Gardo. Whilst I am deprived of my liberty yet I have many things to be thankful for, and so feel this morning. Bro John Lyon died this morning at 830 at his resid(ence) (p. 171) in the

20th Ward. He was born March 4, 1803. He was a faithful Saint and an exemplary (sic) man. Sophia called for a while this morning and I enjoyed her visit. at the request of Prest Woodruff I copied the revelation he received on the 24th into his private journal. I also make him a copy in ink. Pres' Jos F Smith returned this evening.

Friday Nov 29th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 45 recommends. I attended to our mail. The plan of the Grounds around the Manti Temple drawn by Bro Olie Larsen of Logan was examined & approved also the plan of Bro Don C Young for the front steps was approved. Letters were sent to Prest A Hatch & Bp N C Murdock to deal with Tom R Galbraith & cut him off the Church for Impostor & apostacy. Bro D R Bateman called for me with a buggy this evening and we drove to Leonards. where shortly after I met Elizabeth, Clara & Wilford who came up on this evening train from Provo, they and all at home are well.

Saturday Nov. 30/89 Prests Woodruff & Cannon were at the office and Pres Woodruff signed 25 recommends. Judge Thomas Anderson rendered an opinion adverse (p. 172) to the application of Bro Moore & others for Naturalization on account of their being members of the Church &c I spent the day with the folks & in reading.

Sunday Dec 1, 1889. I spent the day with the folks and in conversation & reading, and returned in the evening to the Gardo. in the rain. Joseph accompanied me. Bro Smith also returned tonight.

Monday Dec 2nd 1889. The Presidency at the office also Bro B. Young Pres Woodruff signed 19 recommends. I attended to our Mail. Bro C W Penrose called and submitted the propriety of the First Presidency taking some action or making a manifesto with regard to refuting the false

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assertions made by Judge Anderson in his decision on Saturday. Pres Geo Q Cannon said it had been talked of having a Mass Meeting of Citizens held to adopt resolutions on that matter. after it can be learned from the attorneys whether an appeal can be taken or not. Bros F A Mitchell & H H Cluff called & submitted the note of the Hawaiian Colony to Bro John T Rich for \$12,279⁰⁰ with 8% payable July 1/97 - for 129 horses & 335 head of Horned Stock purchased (p. 173) from him with the place. The Presidency endorsed their note. Col Geo H Morrison Sec't of the History Company. San Francisco, Cal. called and submitted a number of Revi(e)w of the Bancroft History of Utah from Newspapers. &c He suggested the propriety of selecting the best & publishing them in pamphlet form. He also wished to obtain the Steel plate engravings of Joseph Smith, B Young J. Taylor, W. Woodruff & G. Q. Cannon and any others deemed proper so as to insert in the next edition of the History of Utah. 500 copies more of the next edition was ordered.

Tuesday Decr 3, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 31 recommends. I attended to our mail Bros. L. Snow & A. H. Lund called they came to attend the meeting of the Church Board of Education. Bps. Preston & Winder & Architect Don. C. Young & Supt J. H. Moyle called it was decided that the foundation of the Annex & the passage way therefrom to the Salt Lake Temple be dug out. Bro. Young expressed himself as not being properly considered in his office. by Bp Preston & Bro Moyle. Pres Geo Q Cannon then deferred the responsibility on the architect for the work to be done (p. 174) on the Temple &c and that the Supt. get his instructions from the Architect. It was decided that the anniversary of the birth of the Prophet Joseph-Smith Dec 23rd 1889 be set apart as a

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day of fasting & prayer. The fasting to commence on Sunday evening Dec 22nd at Sundown and continue until Monday evening Dec 23rd at Sundown. A circular letter was drafted to be sent to the Presidents of Stakes requesting them to have arrangements made that the Saints can meet for prayer and fasting on that day. Bro B. Y. Hampton called and invited the Presidency and myself to attend a social gathering at his residence on Monday evening Dec 9th/89 on which occasion he wishes to have his house dedicated. Elizabeth, Clara & Wilford left for home this morning. Joseph accompanied them to the train. It rained to-night.

Wednesday Dec 4th 1889. The Presidency at the office - Prest Woodruff signed 5 recommends. The First Presidency appointed John W. Young (p.175) and Richard W. Young, Trustees of the Brigham Young College, Logan to fill the vacancies occasioned by the removal from the Territory of Bro C. O. Card & Sister Ida I. Cook. This question was presented by Bro Geo. W. Thatcher & Ep W B Preston. A number of letters were received read and answered. Bro C W Penrose was released from his present labors on the Deseret News and appointed acting chairman of the Peoples Party Central Committee in the absence of Bro F S Richards. Bro Heber M. Wells having called & asked that some action be taken on this matter as he is so much crowded with labor. Bro Solomon F Kimball was set apart to take charge of the labors for his fathers family in the Temples. Bro Jos F Smith mouth & Pres' Woodruff assisting. I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z. S. B. & T. Co at 1 p m. I mailed to Bro F S Richards at Washington a portion of the manuscript of the 3rd Dist Court proceeding in the case of John Moore & others for Naturalization also a certified copy of the Judges decision. Bro C W Penrose was requested to make a

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draft of a denial to the false accusations made by Judge Anderson (p. 176) in his decision in the John Moore case.

Thursday Dec 5, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 13 recommends. The Presidency had an interview with Mr Isaac Trumbo at 1030 a. m. I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency and Apostles. at 2.20 p. m. The Presidency had an interview with Mr Clarence W. Ashford, atty Genl. of the King of the Sandwich Islands. Bro C. W. Penrose called & submitted two drafts of denials of the assertions made by Judge Anderson in his decision, which were read & left for further consideration. I recd a letter from Elizabeth & Wilford. I called at Sister Barratts this evening and saw S- there for a short time.

Friday, Dec. 6, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 10 recommends, and I signed 18 recommends. a number of letters were read and considered. I met with the Presidency & Twelve (p. 177) Presiding Bishops Preston & Winder and members of the Central Committee of the People's Party at the Cardo House at 2 p. m. This meeting was called to consider what action shall be taken to get an expression of the People so as to come to some conclusion as to what course to take to refute the assertions made in the decision of Judge Anderson in the John Moore Naturalization case. Several of the brethren were in favor of the First Presidency and Twelve. some thought the 1st Presidency alone - others the 1st Presidency, Twelve and about 100 of the leading business men. some thought a mass meeting to adopt suitable resolutions would be the best. but all were in favor of something, making a strong denial of the falsehoods should be made. The question of taking an appeal was also favored by severil. after hearing those who wished to speak, an adjournment was taken, and the Presidency and Twelve considered

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the matter when it was decided as the mind of the Council that the First Presidency and Twelve Apostles get up a manifesto on this subject. such a one as all can sign. I wrote to Elizabeth. Prest Woodruff & Smith left tonight.

Saturday Dec 7, 1889. Pres' Geo. Q. Cannon at the office. he signed 12 and I signed 23 recommends to the Temples. A number of (p. 178) of (sic) public letters were answered. I sent two telegrams to Bro F S Richards at Washington D. C. informing him of affairs here. I recd a letter from Bp Evan Wride of Provo on the Pace letter I had Bro Sudbury try and get me a new suit of clothes but he failed. Sophia called for an hour. I went down to Leonards tonight Bro S. Bateman took me in a buggy.

Sunday Dec 8th 1889. Spent the day in reading, & conversation and returned to the Gardo at night with Bro D. R. Bateman Bro Jos F Smith also returned.

Monday Dec 9, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 23 recommends I attended to our Mail matter Hon A B Carlton was engaged by telegram to Hon John T. Caine to labor for our cause at Washington D. C for \$400.00 per month during the present session of Congress. It was decided that Bros Jas Whitehead Jr & Willard C Burton go to Washington to appraise the Factory Machinery arrangements were made for them to start tomorrow by the 4 p m train. It snowed this morning. Bp Sudbury tried to get me a suit of clothes today & again failed, there being no clothes to fit me in the Stores. (p. 179) By invitation of Bro B. Y. Hampton The First Presidency & Myself attended a social gathering at his residence in the 20th Ward this evening on the occasion of the dedication of his New House. There were a goodly number of brethren & Sisters present several of whom I did not know and several I had not seen for several years. At 8 p m Pres Geo Q Cannon

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offered the dedicatory prayer. Supper was served at 845 a sumptuous repast having been provided. Bro Wm C Dunbar played the bagpipes, after supper conversation and dancing was in order. A very enjoyable time was had. I went and returned with Pres Jos F. Smith & wife. Bro McHenry drove the team & Carriage - we got back to the Gardo after taking Sister Smith home at 12 o.-clock

Tuesday Dec 10, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 17 recommends. a number of letters were received and answered. I recd letters from Elizabeth & G A Shumway he wants me to buy him 6 bales of fencing wire.

④ 4.75 I dont feel that I can do it at present. It was decided to take an appeal in the Woodruff Meeting House case from the decision of Judge Henderson at Ogden in the 1st Dist U S. Court & 20000 was appropriated (p.180) to the payment of costs for the appeal. LeGrand Young was requested to take an appeal and help faithfully prosecuted (sic) the matter. I attended a meeting of the Stockholders of the Deseret & Salt Lake Manufacturing & Canal Co. when a letter from Hon John T Caine was read informing us of the action of the Government in making reservoir sites which deprives us of going on with our Canal & Dam for our Deseret land. It was decided to pay up \$150 per Share on the Company and that 240 Shares be issued to every section of land, this maks (sic) my debt \$375.00 \$5000 of which I have paid. we also agreed to continue the Stoppage of Work on the canal but to have a plot made of it for the U. S. Land office at Washington D. C. also agreed that if we cannot get all the land entrees secured that those who do will divide with those who dont, as proportion to the amount they have Subscribed and pay for. Bro John T Caine is also to be written to again on this matter. I drew from Z S B & T, Co. \$170.00 and paid the Sept 3rd Asses on the Salt Lake City Railroad. for

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myself 11 1/7 Shares = \$55.70 for Elizabeth 17 1/7 Shares = \$77.85 and for Sophia 7 5/7 Shares - \$38.55 of course they each pay me their amounts. they having money in the bank. Bro B. S. Young called on me and wished to buy (p. 181) my Railroa(d) stock also Elizabeths & Sophia's, but Bro. Jas Jack had previously informed that it was better for us to Keep it, as good arrangements are made for making it pay very well. I therefore refused to sell. Bro. Brigham Young, called on me this evening & bade adieu as he starts for his visit to Arizona in the Morning.

Wednesday, Dec 11th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 17 recommends. I attended to our Mail Joseph Smith, President of the Reorganized Church. called with Elder John Henry Smith & he had an interview with Prest Woodruff. I saw Mr Smith for the first time as he was leaving, and was very much disappointed at his personal appearance and from what I had expected to see in him. A number of public letters were answered I wrote to Elizabeth, and to C. A. Hunt. I also done some copying for Pres' W. Woodruff at his request.

Thursday Dec 12, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 24 recommends. At my suggestion and request Pres' Woodruff signed recommends for Bro. Samuel J. Sudbury, and his wives (p. 182) Emma L. Crossland and Wilhelmina Damcke Sudbury for their 2nd Anointings I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency and Apostles at the prayer room Gardo House at 2. p m. I received another assessment on the City Railway Stock of \$5.00 per Share, payable January 7th 1890. I handed to Bro S. J. Sudbury \$51.75 cash for Elizabeth & Sophia for 10 Shares each of the Equitable Co-op assn Stock. I had a conversation with Elder Heber J. Grant about purchasing some of the Cooperative Wagon Companys Stock. he promised to get

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for me 40 shares. I had some talk with Bp. Preston & he promised to let me have a covered conveyance to go to Provo with. Joseph E Taylor was arrested for U C. this a. m. & put under \$300000 bonds

Friday Dec 13, 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 19 recommends. Bro H. B. Clawson having arrived from San Francisco, Cal., called at the office this morning. Apostle M W. Merrill of Logan Temple called (p. 183) and submitted the propriety of purchasing a piece of land laying immediately east of the Logan Temple some 4 acres the price asked being \$80000 per acre. It was decided that he buy the land for the Logan Temple assn. Bro B S Young called and offered to buy the Stock of the Salt Lake City Gas Company owned by the Church but now in the hands of Receiver Dyer. in behalf of Mr Jarvis. It was decided not to sell this stock a (sic) present. The Presidency all went to their homes this evening I wrote to Mr. Geo Sutherland, Provo in reply to his letter informing him that my house & lots in Provo are not for sale. also wrote to Sister Epse Pace, and to Geo A Shumway.

Saturday Dec 14th 1889 Pres' Geo Q. Cannon at the office. he signed 12 recommends. I attended to our Mail Matter. It was ordered that the Manifesto of the First Presidency, and Twelve be published in this Evenings Deseret News & tomorrow Mornings Salt Lake Herald, and telegrams were sent to Elders L Snow, F. D. Richards & A. H Lund for permission to affix their names to it which they granted. The Grant Jury of the 3rd Dis Court were discharged this afternoon. (p. 184) The Steel plate engraving of the late President John Taylor was purchased from Edw. W. Tullidge and he gave an order on H. B. Hall, Sons, New York in favor of Pres' Woodruff for it, cost \$125.00 I recd a letter

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from Elizabeth, and wrote to her, and sent her an order on the Excelsier Mills for 20 bushels of wheat. I had Bro S. J. Sudbury procure for me a new suit of clothes which cost me \$25.00. I went to Leonards tonight Joseph accompanied me.

Sunday, Dec 15, 1889. It rained all day. I spent the time in reading & conversation and returned in the evening with Joseph to the Gardo. Pres' Smith also returned tonight.

Monday Dec 16th 1889. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 121 recommends. I attended to our mail. The funeral of the late Sister Julie Young Burton wife of Bro Chas L Burton was held at the Lion House at 1 p m. Bro John Henry Smith, O F Whitney & Pres Geo Q Cannon were the speakers. 1 Hearse (sic) & 35 vehicles well filled formed the cortege to the Cemetery. Sister Burton died at Birmingham/England (p.185) whether she had gone with her husband to have a difficult operation (sic) performed, from the effects of which she died. Pres' Woodruff directed that the names of Bros M. Thatcher, John W. Taylor & D H. Wells be affixed to the manifesto of the Presidency & Twelve these brethren being absent from the City. I read a letter from Elizabeth, and wrote to her in reply. I also read a letter from Sister Epse Pace, and one from Bro. Wm D. Johnson Jr in Diaz, Mexico.

Tuesday Dec 17, 1889 The Presidency at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 5 recommends. Bro. F. S. Richards having returned from Washington D. C. last Sunday Morning, called & reported his labors in the Idaho Test Oath Case before the U S Supreme Court, in which a good showing was made. The Court listened attentively to the arguments. The Anti Mormon reports sent East about us as a people are very damaging to us.

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Mayor Armstrong, Marshal A Solomon, Elias A. Smith John C. Cutler, Jess W Fox Jr - John R. Winder and several others have been arrested today & yesterday on Indictments found by the late Grant Jury, for misuse of public funds & for conspiricay (sic) in the Hydraolic (sic) Canal Company affair (p.186) This has been a very busy day. Pres Woodruff & Cannon & Bp J. R. Winder had a brief interview with Mr Rufus R Wilson of "Elmira New York Telegraph" who came with Bro C. W Penrose. Bro F. S. Richards & Wm Budge called up the propriety of sending a man to Washington D. C. who is capable of taking up the case of the Saints against the admission of Idaho into the Union, and to labor in behalf of the people of Idaho, was considered, and it was decided that Bro Chas. W. Nibley be appointed to go for this purpose & Bro Budge was instructed to inform him of this action. It was decided that Elders John Morgan & B. H. Roberts be appointed to go East and to labor with the Press and in writing articles and getting them inserted in the leading Newspapers setting forth our side of the present political question; also to meet with leading men & converse with them & do all the good that lays in their power. Bro H. J Grant was requested to see some of our leading business men signing resolutions approving the Official Declarations of the First Presidency & Twelve. Bro Grant was requested to see that the matter was gotten into good & proper shape without delay. It was also suggested that the People's Party (p.187) managers get up meetings and pass suitable resolutions endorsing the same. Leonard called to-day for a short time.

Wednesday Dec 18/89. It snowed last night the ground covered this morning. The Presidency at the office. Pres Woodruff signed 3 recommends.

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I attended to our mail \$40000 was telegraphed to Hon John T. Caine at Washington D. C. for Judge Carltons salary for 1 Month. The Directors Meeting of Z. S B & T. Co was held at 1 p m. I rec a letter from Elizabeth & answered it. My son George arrived at 740 p m from Provo. I(t) snowed this evening quite hard.

Thursday Dec 19/89. The Presidency at the office. Prest. Woodruff signed 24 recommends I attended the usual Prayer Meeting of the Presidency & Twelve at 2 15 p m. Bro F D Richards who has been very sick for some time called to-day - he is much better in his health. The First Presidency appropriated \$16000 as Christmas Gifts for themselves 1000 each & the Clerks & employees at the (p. 188) Presidents office \$5.00 each. Myself & Jos. each had \$5.00 A number of Public letters were received, read and answered. I recd letters from Elizabeth & Sophia & answered them. I obtained from Bro. James Jack on My a/c \$325.00 which I paid to Bro Andrew Jensen Sectr (sic) of the Deseret & Salt Lake Canall & Manft. Co. and received a certificate for 250 Shares of the Capitol Stock of said company, together with a receipt for the Money I sent \$5.00 to Leonard and \$2.00 to Thomas for Christmas presents for the Children.

Friday Dec 20/89. The Presidency at the office. Prest Woodruff signed 11 recommends. A number of letters were recd & answered and has been a very busy day. Joseph & George were busy yesterday & today in fitting up our conveyance, so that I can start with them for Provo to-morrow Morning. I having obtained permission to go & stay a week. They also selected some Christmas presents for me to take home which I paid for.

Bro Sudbury also made me some purchases for Chirxtmas (p. 189) This

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evening Joseph & George called for me with the team and we drove to Leonards to stay tonight and to get an early start in the Morning. It snowed all day but cleared up in the evening.

Saturday Dec 21/89 It froze hard last night so that the soft mud was frozen.

After breakfast and everything being ready we myself, Joseph & George got an early start and drove through Salt Lake County & to Lehi before the sun had much power to thaw out the mud. We arrived at Provo about 8 p m- having been much blessed in our journey considering the state of the roads had they not been frozen. I accept this as a blessing in our behalf. I found my wife and family all well & glad to greet me at home again having been away so long. I spent the evening in conversation.

Sunday Dec 22/89. The children attended Sabbath School & meetings and I engaged myself at home. and had a good time when all were with me.

Monday Dec 23/89. This is the day which has been appointed for fasting and prayer for the whole church. Elizabeth & Children attended the Tabernacle Services in the morning and in the Wards at night. This evening I called (p. 190) the family together and after talking to them we engaged in prayer. I was much and particularly remembered the items which had been specified by the Authorities. Geo A Shumway was also with us, We spent a very agreeable day in observing the fasting & prayers The Saints turned out to the Meetings so that the Houses would not convene (sic) them, & a good spirit prevailed. At the Cardo House The Church Authorit(i)es.- First Presidency & Twelve held a special Fast day meeting at 10⁴⁵ a.m. The brethren knelt in circle facing in according to order of Ordination and one by one commencing with Pres D H Wells engaged in vocal prayer. There were present. Prests W. Woodruff, G. Q. Cannon Jos F Smith, Apostles J H Smith, H. J. Grant, John W Taylor

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A. H Cannon, Conn John W. Young & D H Wells. Sang "God, Moves in a Mysterious Way." Prayer. "A poor wayfaring Man of Grief &c." The brethren then surrounded the altar, offered the signs & Prest. Geo. Q. Cannon was mouth. I wrote to Prest. Jos F. Smith, & to Sophia & Geo Reynolds

Tuesday Dec 24th/89. Spent the day very agreeably with my family. Joseph went back to the City to register his name as a voter and returned this evening. (p. 191)

Wednesday Dec 25, 1889. Christmas day, and the 33rd anniversary of our Wedding Elizabeth Ann & George & the children came over from the farm and we were all at home except Leonard & Thomas and their families also Sophia and her children. We had a very nice day in talking, eating &c and enjoyed ourselves very much. Geo & Sister went home in the evening.

Thursday Dec 26, 1889. At the City. The Presidency had before them the question of who should go to Washington to assist Brother John T. Caine there. It was decided that Bro L John Nuttall go - also that Bros. John Morgan & B. H Roberts go East for the purpose of writing for the newspapers and help to create a good feeling in behalf of our people. A telegram was sent to Bro Nuttall. This afternoon I received the following telegram "Salt Lake City Dec 26, 1889 "We have decided that those goods of which we spoke to Mr Campbell should be sent East as soon as possible. L. Allen" (W. Woodruff). (sic - quotes at beginning of each line not put in) I understood what was meant by this. that I was appointed to go to Washington & start soon. So I sent the following telegram to Pres Woodruff "Your decision shall be complied with (p. 192) Saturday." This broke into my arrangements as I had concluded and ex-

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pected to spend the week with my family & return to the City next Monday or Tuesday. In conversation with my Wife. I concluded to spend the day to-morrow at the farm over the river so that I could see what was needed to be done &c We spent the day very agreeably but of course the folks were disappointed at my going away again so soon. It was also decided by the Presidency to-day, that Bro A. O. Smoot obtain the title to and possession of the Temple Grounds at Provo, on the best possible terms he can make.

Friday Dec 27, 1889 The boys got our team & carriage ready & we got an early start and drove to Sisters. Myself, Elizabeth, Jos. Geo. Wilford & Clara, Mary, Eleanor & Minnie went by train. I walked around over the place and gave such instructions as I deemed for the best - It was a disagreeably day, raining & cloudy most of the time. We however enjoyed ourselves. Mary Eleanor & Minnie went home on the train this evening and the rest stayed. Little Leonard was troubled with his teeth aching in the night. (p. 193)

Saturday Dec 28/89. Very Cold & some snow this morning. Jos. George & myself arose early. got our breakfast and after bidding adieu to the family made an early start before it was light. We traveled along very well and arrived at Leonards about 5 oclock - found them all well. The roads were in better condition than I expected to find them it having frozen some during the night & freezing to-day, with squalls of Snow. We got our Supper at Leonards and then drove to the Gardo House so that if any of the brethren came there I could see them and get what instructions there were for me as to the time of starting &c and that the boys could have the team properly cared for at the Tithing office. Joseph & George slept with me. I

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was very tired.

Sunday, Dec 29, 1889. I spent the day in arranging my personal affairs as best I could, & sent for Sophia. she came for an hour in the afternoon. Leonard also called but none of the brethren I spent about 2 hours at Sophias with her & the children this evening. the first time I have been in her house for several Months, & enjoyed myself very much while there, and blessed them at leaving. I rec a letter from Pres Jos F Smith of the 26 which had been to Provo & returned.

Monday Dec 30/89. Met with Prests Woodruff & Smith. Pres Geo Q Cannon (p. 194) fell down stairs at his home this morning and was compelled to remain at home, having hurt himself, but not seriously. Pres Woodruff asked me when I could start as it was necessary I should go soon. I had already enquired (sic) about the departure of the trains &c. & said I could go tonight with this he was quite satisfied. I then had Bro Spence obtain my Railway Tickets, sleeping berths &c and sent the following telegram to Elizabeth at Provo. "If Denver train from East is on time this evening come to city. If not on time come to Lehi to meet the East bound train which leaves here at Seven fifteen." (quotes at first of each line not put in) I sent an order on B. H. Schettler at Z. S. B. & T. Co. for \$275.00 and paid Elizabeths bill at Z C M I. \$32.00 and her Railroad asst \$77.85 and my Ry assessm(en)t \$55.70 and \$10000 for my use. I let Sophia have an order on the T. O. for \$5.00 also paid B. Y. Hampton for her water tax for one year \$5.00 and requested Bro. Jas. Jack to pay the spool office 5/9 on my account. I also paid my bill at Z C M I. \$635 Bro Spence obtained my tickets and Pres Woodruff gave me an order on Bro. Jack for \$10000 to pay for the same & my expenses. I

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put everything into proper shape and turned over my papers &c to Bro. Geo Reynolds who will (p. 195) take my place during my absence. Sophia called for a short time this afternoon. I was blessed and set apart for my mission and labors under the hands of Pres. W. Woodruff & Jos F Smith and Apostle H. J. Grant. Pres. Woodruff mouth. Bro John Morgan was also blessed & set apart by these brethren, Bro Smith mouth, & Bro B. H. Roberts. Bro Grant mouth. Having got everything ready Bro John W. McHenry & Jos & Geo called for me with a team & carriage. I bade adieu to Pres. Woodruff & Smith, Bros Reynolds, Sudbury & family and left for the D & R G. Depot at 6 p m. As I expected to find Elizabeth at Leonards we drove there but found her not. I bade them adieu & drove to Thomas & did the same there then drove to the depot where I found Elizabeth in waiting having come up on the train but did not have time to go into the City, so we boarded the train bidding adieu to Jos. & George and Bro McHenry and at 730 p m started Elizabeth accompanying me to Provo. on our arrival there. Mary, Eleanor, Clara & Wilford were waiting so Kissed them all & blessed them & bade adieu & soon went to bed for I was very tired.

Tuesday Dec 31st/89 I arose at Cisco. took breakfast at Grand Junction 75 ¢. traveled up Gunnison River, Snowed all day (p. 196) till 4. p m. Supper at Gunnison 75¢ passed over Marshall Pass. I had a good view of the scenery which is very grand. Arrived at Pueblo at 3. a m changed cars. left for Kansas City at 3.40 a.m. and went to bed. Porter 25¢.

Wednesday January 1st 1890 I arose at Caddos, Colorado. Before leaving my berth. I prayed and thanked the Lord for His Kindness to me and mine during the past year, and asked His continued blessings, and dedicated myself & family to Him for the future. As I am traveling on my mission

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I feel my great dependence on my Heavenly Father, and feel to renew my allegiance to Him on this the 1st day of the New Year, ever hopeful that I may withstand the temptations of life and be prepared for all the events of Gods providence before me. This is a fine day. no snow on the ground. Farmers cleaning up about their farms, burning off the old dry grass, making roads &c I took breakfast at Coolidge 75¢ and dinner at Kinsley 75¢ Traveling through Colorado & Kansas there is not much change. (p. 197)

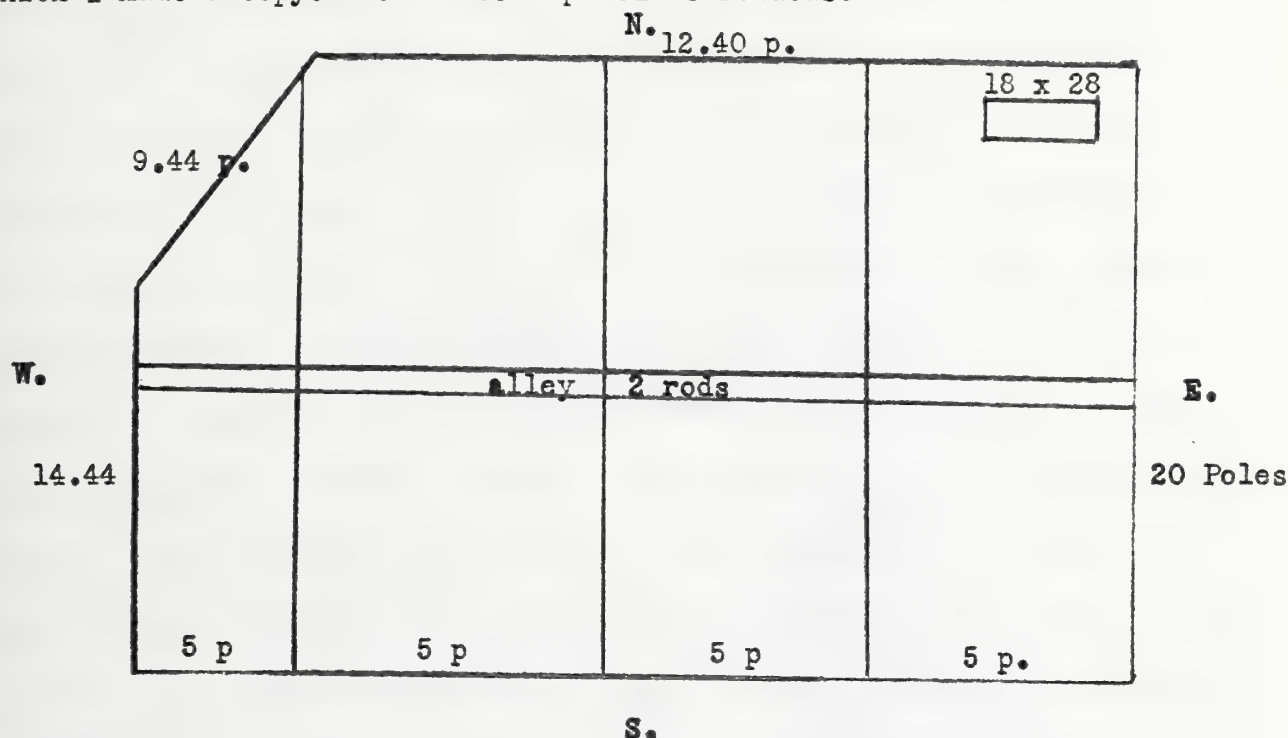
Thursday, Jan 2, 1890. I arose early, and arrived at Kansas City at 8 a.m. Porter 25¢. Took breakfast at the Railway Hotel 50¢ I found that I could remain here most of the day and make good connections. So I bought a ticket to Independence 55¢ and went there by train. On arrival I walked up through the principal parts of the City to the Court House a fine building. now on the site of the former Court House where Bp Partridge was beaten in the early days of the Church. From there I walked to the Temple Block which I found by enquiry. (sic) On the opposite corner of the street from the Meeting House I called on Mr Hailey for information. he invited me into his house where I found Mrs Hailey and found they were relatives of Bro John Jacques, they are Josephites and were out at Salt Lake City last summer. I soon got into conversation as they seemed very free and Kind Afterwards Mr Hailey went with me onto the Temple Block and explained as to its original size & how it had been encroached up by streets, blocks &c. until now it is only about or not quite half its former size. It is fenced in by a post and wire fence and planted out into grass and fruit trees. I stepped off the boundaries of the land and made a rough diagram of it, also of the location of the little Meeting House in the N. E. corner, built by (p. 198) the Hedrickites the present

owners. the title to the property being in their Bishop Richard Hill as the Trustee Bro Hall as their present leader. While I was stepping off the ground Mr Hailey left me as the wind was blowing too cold for him, and being thus alone I went to the Middle of the Block and there offered up my prayers and thanks giving for this great privilege of standing on this sacred ground, praying that it might be preserved from the hands of wicked & ungodly men until the Lord should give it to His chosen people to erect thereon a Holy Temple to His Name. My soul was filled with Joy, and a desire to live to see that day when Zion shall be triumphant. While I was there a Mr Hermshaw came to me. He is the man who contracted for and built the Josephite church on a lot adjoining on the North, a very fine building He felt very sore because they had not paid him on his contract as agreed upon. I called again at Mr Haileys & there found a Mr. T. O'Connor also a Josephite who was very talkative. he preferred to go with me to Mr Richards Hills, which I accepted. on the way he told me that they were moving the house in which Governor Boggs lived. (sic) and were/he was shot & died, and as we were passing near by we went and looked at it. It was a frame building (p. 199) they had it on trucks and out into the street near the Lot where it stood. I found Mr Hill at his residence. He is a Wheelwright of the firm of Hill & Humphreys. He received me very Kindly and entered into conversation, asked after Pres' Woodruff, Cannon & Smith & the affairs of the Church generally, told me about the affairs of himself & people, and of the cause of their securing the titles to the Temple Block. Their leader Mr Hedrik being inspired to do so, and his followers in their poverty had carried out his wishes, so that they now have all the deeds & titles to what is left of the Block,

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and have had possession for 27 years. He showed me the files of deeds which I handled & examined some of them also a plot of the ground of which I made a copy. also a description as follows:



(p. 200) Field Notes of Temple Lot in S. E 1/4 Sec 3. T. 49 Range 32.

Beginning at a point 83 poles west from S. E. corner of said Section, and 76 96/100 poles N. which point is the S. E. corner of Lot 16. of Woodson and Maxwells addition to the City of Independence. Thence North 20 poles, thence West 12.40 poles, thence South 55° West 9.44 poles, thence South 14.44 poles, thence East 20 poles to beginning, which point is the intersection of the West line of Temple with the North line of Walnut Street. I conversed with Hill for some time he was very agreeable. He said the Josephites wanted to get the titles to the Temple Block from them, but they should not have them under any consideration. Rather than the Josephites should have the title at any price. he would rather give the titles and land for nothing to those whom they considered the most

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worthy. He felt very friendly to our people and hoped the day would soon come when we would be able to see eye to eye and be brethren in very deed. He invited me to take dinner with him which I did and felt very well. I handed Mr Hill \$5.00 as he said (p. 201) they had been rather cramped for funds to pay up their taxes. He gave me a pressing invitation to call again and spend more time with him & his people as they will be glad to see me. He sent his Kind regards to Prest Woodruff Cannon & Smith. I tried to persuade him to make a visit to Utah where he would be Kindly treated. He is not a man that travels much and did not see where he could get the time. His wife is also a nice homely woman. I walked with him to the Court House and parted. I then took the tram road to Kansas City 25¢ and passed through another part of the City to the Depot Hotel where I wrote letters to Elizabeth, Sophia & to Prest Jos. F. Smith, got my Sleeper ticket to Chicago \$2.50 and started on the train at 5.35 p m. had supper on the Car 75¢. This has been a busy and eventful day to me and I go to bed somewhat tired.

Friday January 3, 1890 Arose at LaSalle at 7 a m. quite rested. a fine clear morning, had breakfast on car. arrived at Chicago at 9.40 a m. took buss for Fort Wayne Depot. 50¢ got my Ticket \$1750 & Sleeper \$500 Porter 25¢ sent telegram to Bro. Cain 40¢ and left for Washington D. C. at 10.30 a.m. on car "Demarrara" Dinner at Logansport 75¢ - The ground was very wet through Illinois & Indiana, the fall grain under water in some (p. 202) places. apples 5c

Saturday Jan 4, 1890 Arose at Altoona at 7 a m. Breakfast on car \$1.00. Clear & cool. arrived at Harrisburg at 1125 a m left at 11.45 arrived at Washington at 4 p m. porter 25c Bro Wm Budge met me at Depot, and took

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me to #232 New Jersey Avenue N. W to Bro Caines room. Found him & Mrs Caine there. he has been quite sick. Afterwards had plate of oysters with Bro Budge 40¢ & called at Tollys. took supper with Bro Caine & Budge, and afterwards we went to Judge Jere. M. Wilsons residence at 8 p m. talked with him on Idaho affairs as they come before the Senate Committee on Ters. (sic) tomorrow, and engaged the Judge to appear before that committee. went with Bro Caine to 232 & talked over matters and mailed the "Official Declaration" of the Presidency & Twelve to the Members of the U. S. Supreme Court. I then went to 11 Grant Place & slept with Bro. Budge. Car tickets 25¢

Sunday Jan 5th 1890 Took breakfast with Bro Budge at Temple Cafe. went to 232 changed my clothes & we went to Takoma at 110 Bro Caine & family are living there at Mr Fords. Spent the afternoon. had dinner. returned on 6.36 train. with Bros C & B went to Metropolitan Church. afterwards (p. 203) assisted Bro B- in cutting clippings on Idaho affairs from Idaho papers. and slept with Bro B at 11 Grant Place.

Monday Jan 6/90 Took breakfast at Temple Cafe, went with Bro B. to Judge Wilsons office & then to 232 met Bro Caine & commenced work. at 12 m went to the U. S. Supreme Court. saw Justice David J Brewer of Kansas Sworn in and heard the decision by Justice Miller of Bro Jas Jacks & N W Clayton's cases, which was against them. Bro Budge appeared before the Senate Comty on Ters. (sic) today on Idaho matters. We had an oyster lunch at Harvey's, and went to Harris Theatre tonight. I slept with Bro B- I rec letter from Pres Woodruff.

Bro.

Tuesday Jan 7th 1890 I recd a letter from/Geo. F. Gibbs about his folks who are at Washington wanting me to call & see them. I attended to the

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office work - put up & addressed several "official Declarations." and assisted Bro Budge in getting out papers for the Idaho hearing next Monday the time having been extended till then to give Judge Wilson time to prepare himself. Saw Mr Tolly this evening. On invitation of Bro C. W. Stayner, Bro B & myself spent the evening with he & wife at 19 Grant Place. He has a Phonograph Graphophone, which he put in operation. I spoke and sang part of a hymn & my Medley song into it and heard it repeated very clear. Bro B. also spoke into it. this is a marvelous invention. We were (p. 204) much interested and spent the evening very agreeably. I slept with Bro. B. at his room.

Wednesday Jan 8/90 I assisted Bro Budge on Idaho affairs in getting ready for the hearing next Monday. By telegram we learn that Pres' Geo. Q. Cannon starts for Washington next Monday. Judge A. B. Carlton called I was introduced to him by Bro C- He is laboring here in our interests. I recd another letter from Bro Geo F. Gibbs and called on his wife and Sister-in-law Mrs Gibbs of Paradise this evening. I loaned her \$1000 The Mrs Gibbs' & are very desirous to go home to Utah. I agreed to arrange about their tickets so they can go, and also to take them to the White House tomorrow. I arranged for their tickets to-night & slept with Bro Budge. It is very cold this evening. The Ther(mometer) at Salt Lake today is at Zero.

Thursday Jan 9th 1890 Bro. F. A. Hammond called at 232 last night and is with us today. I called on the Sisters Gibbs & went with them to the White House & Corcoran Art Gallery. and arranged for them to start home to-morrow evening. I was busy this afternoon at the office and wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia & to Geo F Gibbs. Ther(mometer) at (p. 205) Salt

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Lake City to-day 8° above zero. quite cool but pleasant here. Took supper with Bro. Budge at Harveys. Sent a telegram to Pres'. Geo. Q. Cannon in regard to his contemplated visit here also of my arrival here. Spent the evening with Bro B. & slept with him.

Friday Jan 10/90 Busy in office. Bro Hammond is with us. This evening I went and assisted the Sisters Gibbs and 3 children with their effects to the B & P. depot. got their tickets for them & baggage checked and they on to the Car, they left at 7.40 p m. afterwhich at the office with Bros Caine & Budge read over Judge Wilsons brief to be submitted to the Senate Comty (sic - committee) on Ters. (sic) next Monday on Idaho matters. Recd a telegram from Bro Jack & answered it. also sent a telegram to Bro Geo F. Gibbs. viz "Family left to-night by routes mentioned by you. Sister to Ogden." Recd letter from Bro H. B. Clawson with a letter of introduction to Genl Geo. B. Williams. Assisted Bro B. on his Idaho papers & slept with him.

Saturday Jan 11/90 Recd letter from Albert Jones, Provo, on Father Clarksons Estate matter. Went to Takoma helped to get things together needed at office. I attended at the House of Representatives at 12 m the funeral services of (p. 206) the late Hon Wm D. Kelly of Pennsylvania a member of the House for nearly 30 years. held the longest term of any Member. We learn that Ex Gov West is trying to get Genl McClernand removed from the Utah Commission so that he may get his place. We so notified Prests Woodruff Cannon & Smith by telegram. I slept with Bro. B.

Sunday Jan 12/90 Went to Takoma and helped Bro Caine in writing a letter to Prests Woodruff, Cannon & Smith returned at 8 p.m. with Bro. C. and posted the letter I have not felt very well in my bowels to.day and went

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to bed with Bro B. very tired. this has been an uncommon warm day.

Monday Jan 13/90 I called on Genl Geo. B. Williams at his office this Morning was recd very kindly. conversed on Utah matters and invited me to call again often as he wished to talk with me. He was engaged to day in endeavouring to secure Marshal Parson's confirmation, thought he would be confirmed, also Judge Zane. I called at the Post Office Dept for Bro Caine. Went to Supreme Court at 12. no decision in our cases Bros. Caine & Budge & Judge Wilson before the Senate Comty this morning on Idaho affairs - I had a (p. 207) conversation with Judge Carlton. I wrote to Bro Geo. F. Gibbs & returned to him a letter for his wife recd this morning. I have not felt very well in my bowels today. Slept at my room 232. with Bro F. A. Hammond. as he has been occupying my bed since he came here.

Tuesday Jan 14, 1890 I received a letter from Elizabeth, all well at home. Bro Hammond & myself sought out a new boarding house. we took breakfast at Mr J. R. Michaels corner of N. J. ave & C St. at \$1800 per Mo. I addressed a number of the History of Utah for Members of Congress. Went to War Dept for copies of Muster roll of Fort Douglas for Nov 1889. for use at Salt Lake City. Bros. Caine & Budge & Judge Wilson were before the Sen Comty (sic - committee) on Ters. (sic) this afternoon on Idaho Statehood Movement. I wrote to Bro H. B. Clawson - also some public letters. I went with Bro Caine this evening to see Mr Guthridge, was introduced to him, he is a correspondent for the New York World also for S. L. Herald.

Wednesday Jan 15, 1890. Rained this morning. Bros Caine & Budge met with the House Comty (sic - committee) on Territories & had the hearing

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of the Idaho Statehood set for next Wednesday. Delegate Dubois is much opposed to any hearing. I wrote to Albert Jones also to Pres Joseph F Smith & some public letters (p. 208) I attended a Lecture with Bro Caine at All Souls Church Lecture room this evening by Rev. Jos. Shippero on the Work. "Looking Backward." He did not coincide with that idea. I paid \$4⁵⁰ for a weeks board & milk 5¢

Thursday Jan 16, 1890 I recd letter from Pres' Jos. F. Smith & 1 from Bro Jas. L. Bunting, Kanab. Busy in my room - wrote some public letters - went to Capitol with History of Utah for Members of the U. S. Supreme Court. I wrote to Elizabeth & sent her order for Feb T. O. enclosed letter to Albert Jones wrote to Sophia. Geo Reynolds and to Joseph & mailed letters at Post office. Weather very cold.

Friday Jan 17, 1890. Quite cool this morning & Clear. Walked out after breakfast. bought an overcoat \$20⁰⁰, Umbrella \$1⁵⁰ 3 Shirts 20¢ & Jacket 50¢ and busy in room the remainder of day.

Saturday Jan 18, 1890. Recd letters from Geo. Reynolds, J. T. Arrowsmith Provo, & Pres Geo. Teasdale at Liverpool. I wrote some public letters, & addressed Histories for Members. Walked out this evening. Recd Telegram that Pres' Geo Q. Cannon will be here to-morrow morning. (p. 209).

Sunday Jan 19, 1890. Bros. Caine, Hammond & myself met Pres' Geo. Q. Cannon at the B & O depot at 9. a m. & took him to my room. We afterwards went to breakfast at St James Hotel. Bro Caine paid for it. then to my room. In the afternoon Bro Cannon Hammond & myself went on Cars to Georgetown. walked around & over the bridge. & returned on cars - took dinner at St James Hotel. Spent the evening in conversation. Recd a letter from C. A. Hunt.

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Monday Jan 20, 1890. Five years to day when Pres. Geo. Q. Cannon and myself went into exile at the Presidents office, Salt Lake City as we learned the U S officers purposed arresting us, and Pres Taylor & party were away from home. I received a letter from Sophia. all well at home. Eat lunch of fresh oysters at Harveys with Bro. Cannon. I went to the Supreme Court at 12 m. no decision in our cases - Bro Cannon was with me all day - and we walked out in the evening.

Tuesday Jan 21st 1890. Rained in the night & continued this morning. I changed my boarding house to Mrs Sue Keeler's at 224 New Jersey Avenue at 2000 per Mo. Bros Cannon & Hammond will also board here. Mr John Leedom the Ex Sergt (p. 210) at Arms of the House of Reps. & Hon Samuel Dibble M. C. of South Carolina. Mrs Sayer & son Marrell are also boarders at the Same place. At lunch today I had a very agreeable visit with Mr Leedom. he explained his business and dealings with Silcott in the Serg-at Arms office. Silcott being the Cashier & left with some \$4500000 of Public Money. His explanation was very satisfactory to me. Bro Cannon went to the House of Reps today. I was busy in my room and walked out this evening.

Wednesday Jan 22nd 1890 Walked out this morning and busy in my room. cold & windy. Went with Bro Hammond to Calvary church tonight. Meeting of an organization in aid of the Indians. heard Genl Fisk, Senator Jos N Dolph of Oregon. Sen Gideon C Moody of Dakota also Genl Armstrong - 2 young Indians of Hampton Indian School Va- & Gen Thos J. Morgan com (sic) of Indian affairs speak.

Thursday Janu 23, 1890. Received letters from Son Joseph, Geo F Gibbs & Peter W Conover. Very cold had some snow - busy addressing Historys

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of Utah - Bro Cannon went to the capitol today. Recd from Bro Gibbs the (p. 211) \$1000 I loaned his Wife. I wrote to Bro Geo Reynolds & sent him Bro Arrowsmiths & Conovers letters to be presented to Pres' Woodruff - also wrote to Joseph & sent him H. E. Bowman letter. also wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia.

Friday January 24, 1890 A cold day. engaged all day in office. Prest. Cannon got ready to go to New York tomorrow morning.

Saturday January 25, 1890 I walked out this morning. Bros. Caine & Budge before the Sub Comty (sic-committee) on Ter's (sic) on Idaho matters & Bro Hammond before the Indian Committee - cold to day - Bro Cannon left for New York on 8. a.m train. I recd & sent 2 telegrams to Bro Cannon from the President at home. I wrote to C. A. C. and walked out this evening.

Sunday January 26, 1890 Pres' Cannon returned from New York this morning at 830 I went with him to Takoma at 9 a m to see Bro Caine and we all returned on the 1006 train. It is proposed to put Bro John T. Caine in nomination for Mayor of Salt Lake City - we talked the matter over Bro Caine puts himself into the hands of the Presidency to decide. I assisted Pres' Cannon in making a telegram to Prests Woodruff & Smith. in the evening (p. 212) I accompanied Bros Cannon, Caine and Hammond to the Unitarian Church and heard Mr John N Kimball of Hartford, Conn. speak.

Monday January 27, 1890 Went to the Capitol to-day with Prest Cannon and to Supreme Court. no decision in church cases Met Mr Arthur Brown there - afterwards with Bro Budge we went to Harveys and had an Cyster lunch. bought 2 letter copying books. one for Bro Cannon & one for myself. 75¢ each. Went with Bro Cannon to his new lodgings at Mrs

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Woods 222 N. J. Ave- I also went to the U S Supreme Court this afternoon & heard Arthur Brown plead in his Idaho case. Bro David H. Cannon arrived from New York at 5.25 p m. I spent the evening with Bro Cannon & David & I joined him in a letter to Bro. H. B. Clawson on B. B. & C M Cos matters. We each agreed to transfer 25 per cent of our Stock in that company to the California Company -

Tuesday January 28/90. I wrote several public letters. This afternoon I went with Bros Cannon & Caine to Major Powells office and talked with him in regard to our Deseret Land affair. found we could (p. 213) not make our entries under the Desert Land Act, whether the reservior site had been located or not. Also called upon Captain Dutton at his office and conversed with him on the same subject. They were in favor of our going on with the canal, but could only enter our land by Homestead or cash entry. Bro Caine received a telegram from home that his name had been withdrawn from the **cancus** (sic) as Mayor for Salt Lake City, because he is now the Delegate from Utah in Congress. Went with Bro Budge to Kirnans Theatre.

Wednesday January 29/90 I went this Morning with D H Cannon to the Botanical Gardens & other places. also to the Wash(ington) Monument. We walked up the 900 steps to top or 500 feet high. had a splendid view of the City & surrounding Country and came down on the Elevator. visited other public buildings and returned at 5 p m very tired. Recd a letter from Sophia of Jan 24 all well - also one from Geo Reynolds. I **accompanied** Prest Cannon to C W Stayners at 19 Grant Place this evening and found Bro Budge Bro Stayner & wife there. spent the evening in conversation (p.214) and listening to the Graphophone. We administered

to Sister Stayner. Bro Budge consecrated the oil. I anointed & Pres Cannon Mouth. It rained on our return.

Thursday January 30, 1890 Busy in office this morning. went with Pres Cannon & Budge to the Capitol. heard Senator Vance in the Senate for an hour and returned. I bought a gold Watch for Elizabeth at Harris'.

7th Street for \$23.75 worth \$37.50 - spent the evening in reading - a pleasant day -

Friday January 31, 1890 Walked out this Morning. bought 300 Quinine pills for Pres Woodruff and 200 for myself - I wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia - Went to Harris Theatre. "The Faker."

Saturday Feb 1/90 Received a letter from Bro W D Johnson Jr - rained to day - Put up arguments on Idaho Matters & Mailed them. Went to Genl Geo. B. William's this afternoon. I wrote to Jas. Jack. Paid Mrs Keeler \$1000 on Board a/c. Went with Bros Cannon, Caine, Hammond & David to the New National Theatre. to see "Oolah". Mr Francis Wilson the principal (p. 215) character.

Sunday Feb 2/90. Received letter from Elizabeth all well. rained all night and this morning, some snow. went to St. Eloysius Church with Bro Hammond - Candlemers day - We went to the 1st Presbyterian Church and Young peoples' Meeting in the evening heard Dr Byron Sunderland preach. Prest Cannon & David went to Takoma this afternoon.

Monday Feb 3/90. Cloudy & wet. Recd letter from Sophia all well. Sec Tracy's house burned this morning at 7. his wife and daughter died. also the Maid - himself and daughter & gd (sic) daughter saved. the latter by jumping from 2nd Story window. I went & saw the ruins. The U. S. Supreme Court decided the Idaho test oath Case against our people today - Recd letter from Elizabeth of Jan 30 all well. I wrote to Bro

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Tuesday Feb 4/90. Engaged in room. fine day. I wrote to Elizabeth and sent an order on Jas Jack for \$13.00 on Provo. T. O. favor B. Y. A for Clara & Wilfords School bills. I wrote to Pres. Woodruff & to Pres. Jos. F Smith - also several public letters. Recd letter from Joseph. (p. 216) Bro John T. Caine left at 945 p. m for home by B & O. I sent pills with him for Prest Woodruff - We saw him off -

Wednesday Feb 5/90 Went with Bro Budge to Congressional Library and got some names of Idaho people to send documents to - busy in office.

Thursday Feb 6/90 Went with D H Cannon to see the public building &c and in the evening with Pres Cannon we went to Alboughs Theatre. Mr Wyndham in a "Candidate."

Friday Feb 7/90 Busy with Bros Budge & Hammond putting up & marking Newspapers. I took them to an Oyster lunch also D H Cannon at Harvey's. I called on Mr. Furnow at Ag (sic) Dept & had a good talk with him on Trees &c - It rained this afternoon Recd Letters from Leonard & Jas. L. Bunting - Wrote to Sophia. Helped Prest Cannon get out a telegram to Pres' Woodruff and he talked about his going home soon. In the Treasury Vaults we saw yesterday 1 vault containing \$856000,00000 Silver dollars - in 85600 bags (p. 217) 42800 boxes - 2500 tons - in another vaults \$85,038,743 dollars in gold & Silver. Making in the two vaults \$170,638,-743.00 in gold & Silver.

Feb 8/90 Saturday. Rained & Snowed all day. Bro Budge and Judges Wilson & Carlton were before the Comty (sic-committee) on Territories in the House to-day on the Idaho Constitution & made arguments. Bro Cannon not feeling very well to-day. Have been very busy in my room.

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Sunday Feb 9/90 Went with Bros Cannon Budge, Hammond & David to All Souls Church & heard the Rev' Robert Collyers sermon - His text was taken from 38 Chap Isaiah. "Turning the dial backward." We heard him again in the evening in reference to the Protestant Church Conference held at New York a short time since - and they doing away with some of their dogmas - the baptism of children &c. I was much interested.

Monday Feb 10/90 I took a cab & boy and distributed the History of Utah. a copy each to the President & Cabinet, heads of Departments &c - assisted Bro Budge in correcting his (p. 218) argument for printing, Went with Bros. Cannon Budge Hammond & David to the New National Theatre saw Mr Nat Goodwin in "A Gold Mine."

Tuesday Feb 11/90 Helped Bro Budge on his argument. Recd the following telegram from Bro J. T. Caine at Salt Lake Feb 10th "Liberals appear carried election nearly eight hundred majority. large fraudulent vote cast. Wells and Rumell far ahead People's Ticket." Went with Bro Cannon, Budge, Hammond & David to Harveys for an oyster lunch on Bro Cannon's invitation. a fine day. quite busy - Walked out in the evening.

Wednesday Feb 12/90. Bro F. A Hammond left for New York this morning at 8. I saw him off at the B & O Depot. I went with Bro Budge to the Capitol and helped him on his argument. Bro Cannon is expecting to go home. I helped him with some telegrams to that effect We recd our quota of Garden seeds from the Agr (sic - agricultural) Dept - Met at Mrs Keelers. Mr McKenzie a friend of Bro Cannon & Mr Leedom. he took dinner & spent the evening with us.

Thursday Feb 13/90 Received letters from Elizabeth & Sophia all well (p. 219) at home. Walked out with Bro Budge went to the Arsenal and

had an oyster lunch. Busy in office afternoon & evening.

Friday Feb 14/90 Rained very hard this morning. assisted Bro Cannon on another telegram to Pres. Woodruff. talked with him on the political situation. The Democrats should not see us used up in Utah, Arizona, Idaho & New Mexico for then they lose four states. Bros Cannon & Budge went to see Senator Gorman on these matters. I wrote to Elizabeth and Sophia. Pres Cannon received a telegram calling him home as soon as he can go. I went to the Capitol for copies of Edmunds bill on Schools for Utah. Sisters Sarah M. Kimball & Maria Y. Dougall & son Wilby arrived this morning & went to the Riggs House. Bro Cannon, Budge David & myself called on them this evening. It was decided that Bro Budge start for New York tonight to find when Mr. Brice Chairman of the Democratic National Comty (committee) can be seen by Bro. Cannon & himself & make an appointment for meeting. Bro Budge got ready & came to my room and stayed with me so as be ready to start at 4 a m as there is no train tonight so late. I loaned Bro Budge (p. 220) \$30.00.

Saturday Feb 15,/90. I assisted Bro Budge & he got off at 4 a. m. I received letter from C. A C & F. A. Hammond. Walked out with Bro Cannon & David. and we joined Sisters Kimball & Dougall & son at Harveys for an oyster lunch on invitation of Bro Cannon. I went to the Corcoran Art Gallery with Pres Cannon this afternoon. I called on Sisters Kimball and Dougall this evening at their requ(e)st they wish me to prepare a document for them to present at the Womans Suffrage Meeting, on Utah. Next Tuesday or Wednesday they being Delegates here from the Territory. I promised to get up something brief as there was not much time to do or say much. Bro Dougall was not well in his bowels. I took him to stay

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with me. I gave him some brandy quinine pills & ginger during the night. I did not sleep much. he was very restless.

Sunday Feb 16/90 Bro Dougall much better this morning. after breakfast I helped Pres Cannon to pack up and staid with him until he left at 230 p m on (p. 221) the B. & O train for New York. David moved from their room to stay with me. I loaned David \$500 This evening David and I called at the Riggs & Mrs Dougall & son went with us to the Unitarian Church. Rev Dr Reynolds preached a very dry sermon. Bro Dougall took Bro. Cannons room at Mrs Woods at 222 N J Ave. and took him & introduced him. David slept with me.

Monday Feb 17/90 All well. I received letter from Joseph about Sugar at A C M I. and sent him a telegram to get 5 sacks for me. I wrote to Bro F. A Hammond on Long Island, and mailed some Public Documents for Pres' Cannon at home. I wrote out a document for Sisters Kimball & Dougall for presentation at their Suffrage meeting. Recd letter from Bro W. C Spence - Bro David H Cannon received a letter from Bro John W Young calling him to New York. he packed his things this afternoon and we walked out. I loaned him \$4.00.

Tuesday Feb 18/90 Recd letter from Elizabeth all well. David left on the 9.20 a m train. I saw him off. I recd telegram from Bro Caine that he would arrived (sic) at 1 pm went to B & O. depot. he arrived at 1250 pm. had Arthur Pratts daughter Mabel along with him. They went to (p. 222) Tacoma Park. I wrote some public letters and busy in office putting up Seeds. Recd letter from Sophia, all well. Went to N. N Theatre "The Wife."

Wednesday Feb 19/90 A fine day. busy in office with seeds. Nettie Snell

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called this afternoon she arrived yesterday, and returns to N. Y. on Friday. Received telegram from Pres' Cannon at Chicago and answered it. Our Sisters were recognized and admitted as Members of the Womans Suffrage Association - we have more members enrolled in Utah than any of the States except Ohio. Rained to-night

Thursday Feb 20/90 Rained all morning and cold in afternoon Busy with Seeds. Wrote some public letters attended Womans Suffrage Meeting at Lincoln Hall to-night.

Friday Feb 21./90. Very cold all day with wind. Went to Judge Wilson's this Morning and took him check for \$100000 fees Idaho Case. Bought 2 pairs of pants busy in office wrote some public letters. Bro Caine started for Philadelphia at 4. p.m (p. 223) I called at Judge Wilsons this afternoon on Idaho business. Wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia and Mailed letters. bought 2 Egg beaters and freezers. had my hair cut.

Saturday Feb 22/90 Washington's birthday. observed as a holiday. I went to Alexandria this morning on the Ferry boat. Walked through the town, went to Christs Church where Genl Washington used to worship and sat in his pew. Old fashioned church built of bricks brought from England, also went into the Marshal House where Col Ellsworth was shot while taking down the Confederate flag. Also to the Braddock House & Market &c.

Returned at 230 Saw the Old Guard Rifles and other soldiers parade on Penn Ave. Called at the Riggs House to see Bro John W. Young he having sent word he would be there at 4 p m. He was not in his room. I read letter from Bro Jas. W. Bean, Provo.

Sunday Feb 23/90 Went to the Riggs House this morning met Sisters Kimball & Dougall & Bro John W. Young and talked with them afterwards we

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all took a carriage ride through the City and to the B & O Depot then took train for Takoma Park at 110 p m stayed (p. 224) there 20 minutes and returned with Bro. Young as he goes to New York at 4 p.m. I received a letter from Bro C. H Oliphant at Orangeville Emery Co. Utah, and attended Service at All Souls at 730 heard Mrs Laura Ormiston Chant speak for 70 minutes on religious progress in England Her discourse was eloquent and mainly devoted to the work of reformation among the Criminal classes.

Monday Feb 24./90. Received letters from Pres Jos F Smith and J S. Bunting. It rained this morning. I have some cold in my head. busy in office. Attended meeting of the Womans National Liberal Union at Willards Hall at 8 p m. This organization is opposed to church influence and to Church & State. Claiming that the church is the bulwark of Womans Slavery. I was not satisfied with the position taken. Sister Dougall was there & said they purposed leaving for New York in the morning. I went to the Riggs & Spent an hour with Sisters Kimball & Dougall & request(ed) Sister D. to call on Sophia on her return & tell her how I am. she said she would do so. I bade them adieu.

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Tuesday, February 25, 1890. A fine day. I bought 6 Shirts for \$4³⁸ - busy in the office - Wrote to Leonard, Joseph, Jas L Bunting & Jas W. Bean - Thunder lightning & rain this evening - Received letters from Elizabeth, Sophia & G. A. Shumway. all well at home.

Wednesday Feb 26, 1890 Clear day. busy in office writing - wrote to C. H. Oliphant - Saw C. L. Davis in Uncle Alvin Joslin. at Harris Theatre.

Thursday Feb 27, 1890 Wrote several public letters also to Elizabeth & D. H. Cannon - Weather cooler - Bro. J. L. Dalton of Ogden called expects to stay a few days. I walked out with him - Recd letter from W. Dougall at New York.

Friday Feb 28, 1890. Cloudy all day - Wrote some public letters - Went with Bro Dalton to several Public buildings - wrote to Sophia & Geo A Shumway - Recd letter from D. H. Cannon.

Saturday March 1st 1890. Went with Bro Dalton to Public buildings - Recd a letter from Bro Wm B. Preston with check for \$25⁰⁰ Dividend on B. B. & C. M. Cos stock - Went with Bro D. to New National Theatre - Bro Caine & family (p. 2) moved in from Takoma park to 1118 N. Y. Ave- I paid Mrs Keeler for Board \$20.⁰⁰.

Sunday March 2, 1890 Bro W. C Spence & his Nephew Geo Ellerbeck came on from New York. arrived at 8 a. m. We went to the Temple Cafe for breakfast. afterwards walked about in the City and went to All Souls Church. called at Bro Caine's in afternoon - We rode on the Electric Car to Catholic University - walked over to the Soldiers Home and to 7th Street

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Car - a very cold day - I paid for Lunch and Dinner - I bought 1600 Quinine pills for Bro Spence to take to Bro Jos F Smith & other brethren. I packed Bro Cannon's valise put my 2 Eggbeaters &c in it so that Bro Spence can take it home. Bro Spence did not feel very well this evening having taken some cold. I gave him some pills & ginger.

Monday March 3, 1890 Bro Spence much better this morning he had a good night - We went to the Departments - took lunch at the State, War & Navy restaurant. Called at the White House went through the rooms - shook hands with Prest. B. Harrison - went to the Capitol & Harveys for dinner. I bought Bro Spence a bottle of Brandy - to take along. He & nephew left on the 740 p m - (p. 3) B & P. train for Chicago. I saw them off, and sent a telegram to Pres. Woodruff of his departure. - Recd letter from Bro Cushing -

Tuesday, March 4, 1890 Busy in office in Morning - went with Bro Dalton to Lincoln Monument. Navy Yard & Georgetown - I wrote to Pres! Jos. F. Smith - and walked out in the evening with Bro D.

Wednesday March 5, 1890. Bro Dalton left for New York at 8. a.m. - busy in office-addressing arguments on Idaho Matters. & writing public letters. Snowed this afternoon. very cold. Received letter from Sophia of Feb 27. all well. - Bros. John A West of Huntington & Hyrum Bown of Fayette, missionaries in N states. arrived on Monday & called on us to-day, came to see Washington, stayed with us to night. Bro Caine said he had a letter for me postmarked Provo, but had lost it on way to the office. This is a letter I am expecting from Elizabeth.

Thursday March 6/90 Snowed during the night. ground covered, froze - Cold this morning - Wrote some public letters. Called on Mr Sanders

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chief of Agricultural Gardens & Grounds: He promised to send Grapes, Straw (p.4) berries. Raspberri(e)s &c to Elizabeth, George, Geo A Sumway. Pres Woodruff Cannon & Smith & C H Wilcken for me - I called at Mr Tollty's - I called at Bro Caines room this evening. with a telegram from Presidency & sent them an answer.

Friday March 7/90 Weather quite cold. I wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia & Jas A Cushing. Recd letter from Bro J.K. Dalton at Brooklyn N.Y. & answered him - Wrote to Prest. Woodruff, Cannon & Smith & D H Cannon N.Y.

Saturday March 8/90. Bros. West & Bown left by this mornings train at 1030 Recd letter from Bro D H Cannon. I went to the Botanical Gardens, Bureau of Printing & Engraving, Monument (walked down) (sic) & Treasury with Bro Caines daughters Florence & Martie & Miss Mabel Pratt. Recd letter from Joseph & bill for 6 sacks of Sugar \$38.80. wrote some public letters and went to Theatre with Bro Caine. "Wm Barnes of New York"

Sunday, March 9/90 Went to St John's Episcopal Church. with Marcelle Sayer The old church service of my boyhood. heard Dr Douglas preach - Wrote to C.A. H- In the evening went to the Methodist Episcopal Church South on Mount Vernon square. with Mr Dibble Member from South Carolina, and heard Bp Duncan (p. 5) deliver a good Gospel sermon. We walked home together and on the way conversed on Mormonism &c.

Monday March 10/90 Recd letter from Bro Jas Jack on Street Railroad & Gas stock matters which I answered, also letter from Joseph. I wrote some public letters and address arguments on Idaho to members of Congress. Cloudy all day. Walked out in the evening.

Tuesday March 11/90 Recd telegram from Bro Jas Jack as follows: - L.JN. have sold Gas Stock send endorsed or power to endorse immediately! I pro-

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cured a blank Power of Atty. which I filled out & sent with letter to Bro Jack to sell my Gas Stock & Street Railroad Stock - I called at the Interior, State & Treasury Depts for Bro Caine to try and find where the title to the State House at Fillmore is. could not find it in the U. S. government - I wrote to Joseph and sent him the Key to my box in Bro Jack's safe which contains my private papers, to get my certificates of Stock & hand to Bro Jack - &c I also sent him an order on Bro. Jack for \$2560 to pay Z. C M. I for 4 sacks of sugar & told him what to do with the other sugar. I walked out & mailed these letters. A fine day, quite warm. (p. 6)

Wednesday. March 12/90 Busy in office. wrote some public letters. Recd letter from Sophia of Mar 7th all well. a warm day. Mrs Keeler gave us notice that she expected to close her boarding house April 1st/ next. I walked out this evening.

Thursday March 13/90 A fine day. Recd Photos from Sophia. ordered her Mother's & Willies pictures made by Mr. Keyser. also order 1 doz of my own pictures at Mr Davis. & bought pair of shoes \$3.00 Rained this evening & most of night, went to Harris theatre.

Friday March 14/90 Raining & Cloudy all day. Recd letter from Elizabeth of 9th all well at home - wrote to Elizabeth and sent order on Excelsior Mills, Provo for 20 bus of Wheat - also wrote to Sophia and Bro. H. J. Grant - went to New National Theatre. "Herrman."

Saturday March 15/90 Weather quite cool & cloudy. Recd letter from Prest Joseph F. Smith of Mar 10/90 - also check on Des. Nat Bank for \$3000 the 76 div. of Salt Lake City Gas Co. dated March 3/90. I wrote to Sophia about her piece of land - Wrote some public letters and assisted (p. 7)

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Bro Caine in getting up some facts for Senator Edmunds, against the Paddock bill (S. 356) to authorize the Gov. of Utah to appoint certain County officers. We had the same written in Type.

Sunday Mar 16/90 We are having a cold wave. I attended the St. James Episcopal Church on 8th bet B & C. S. E. - This is as near a catholic church service as they can get in their forms & ceremonies. a High church. I was not at all satisfied in my feelings - after dinner I went to Bro Caines room. took supper with them at Mrs Kants and attended "All Souls church in the evening and heard a good sermon..

Monday March 17/90 Still very cold. Recd letter from Bro Dalton at Boston Mar 15/90 he leaves on Tuesday for home - Rec letter from Elizabeth of the 13th all well at home - wrote to the Presidency & other public letters.

Tuesday March 18/90 I went on train to Baltimore at 945 to attend the commencement exercises of the College of Physicians & Surgeons at the Academy of Music on invitation of Bro S. H. Allen of Mt Pleasant, Utah who is a graduate (p. 8) I called at Bro A. room 410 Hanover St. he was not there. I found him at the Academy of Music - we walked around a few blocks and back to attend the exercises at 12 m. I had a good seat on the stage among the professors & doctors and enjoye(d) the occasion very much. Bro Allen received his Diploma as Doctor of Medicine also the 3rd Prize a fine Gold Medal. Bp Keene of the Catholic Church delivered the Valedictory address & Cardinal Gibbon the benidiction. We afterwards went to Bro A. room & got dinner & walked out onto Federal Hill where we got a good view of the City & Bay. Bro Allen has an offer to take charge of the City Hospital at Baltimore and he asked my counsel.

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after hearing him I suggested that he accept the appointment. I returned on the 6 p m train arriv(e)d at 7.05. This evening Bro O. H. Randall of Centrivile & Wm R. Stevens of Holden, Missionaries in Northern States. who had come to see Washington. Called on us. I took them out for Supper and shared my bed with them as it was late to get a bed & room tonight. I recd a letter from Bro W. C Spence of Mar 13/90.

Wednesday March 19th/90 I took Bros. Randall & Stevens to breakfast and went with them to several of the Public buildings. they (p. 9) they^(sic) also went to see the President & Agricultural Dept. Recd letter from Sophia of Mar 13/90 all well. Recd telegram from Bro Jas. Jack informing me he had sold my City gas Stock & Street Railway Stock and had the Money \$333800 on hand & wanted to Know what to do with it. I engaged a room for Bros. Randall & Stevens at Hotel Slater. B. & 2nd St..

Thursday March 20/90 Recd letter from Elizabeth of Mar 15. all well at home. also one from Bro J. T. Arrowsmith - went to the Capitol with the brethren. I wrote to Bro J. Jack & W. C. Spence also to Sopnia & mailed them all to Bro Jack. Went with the brethren to Bro Caines room this evening it rained going & returning. I recd another letter from Elizabeth of Mar 16th and one from Geo. A. Shumway about a piece of land for sale by Bro. Madsen on Provo Lake bottom.

Friday March 21/90 Busy addressing vegetable seeds. Mr E H Parson's. U. S. Marshal of Utah called at my room this afternoon and staid a short time. He wanted to see Mr Caine. He asked me if I was from Utah I answered him yes. When he said he thought he had seen me there. Bros. Randall & Stevens are out sight seeing. on Bro Caines invitation we all went (p. 10) to Harris Theatre tonight

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Saturday, March 22/90 Rained during the night. I wrote to Elizabeth & Geo A Shumway about the Madsen land. Recd letter from Joseph. Marshal Parsons called twice today and had some talk with Bro Caine & myself about his confirmation and charges which had been made against him. He told us that Wm McKay had been discharged as asst. U.S. Dist Atty in Utah. Bros Stevens & Randall went to Mt Vernon to day. Busy in office today

Sunday, March 23/90 A fine day. Went with Bros. Randall & Stevens to "All Souls" Church. afterwards took a walk up Mass Ave. After dinner I took the brethren to Georgetown & across the bridge. Attended Service at Trinity Church Cor of C & 3rd St. Episcopal - Minister spoke on the Immorality of the Popes. Sat up till 11 o'clock in conversation -

Monday March 24/90 A fine day. Bros Randall & Stevens left by B & O. train at 10³⁰ A M for Hancock. Recd letter from Joseph of Mar 19th Marshal Parson called at my room. I went to the U. S Supreme Court at 12. no decision in our cases. Busy in room putting up Documents. I wrote to Bro H.J. Grant about Bank Shares. (p. 11)

Tuesday March 25, 1890 Bro S.H. Allen from Baltimore Called I went with him to the monument & other public buildings & took him to dinner. Recd letters from Elizabeth & Leonard of the 20th John Leetham died on the 19th March at 10 p m - On invitation of Bro Caine we attended the New National Theatre & saw the play of Little Lord Fontleroy.

Wednesday Mar 26/90 Bro. Allen stayed with me last night & I took him to breakfast - and then to the Pension Bureau & Police Court and the Capitol. He spent the afternoon with Bro Caine & family - and left on the 6¹⁰ train for Baltimore. I wrote to Bro T. G. Webber on meeting of Stockholder for April 9/90 of Z C M I. - Bro F. A. Hammond telegraphed me of his return

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from N. Y. this evening I met him at the B. & P. depot.. At dinner this evening Mr Dibble and I agreed to start at 530 tomorrow morning and walk to Alexandria & return by train or boat for breakfast.

Thursday Mar 27/90 Arose at 510 called on Mr Dibble and started at 600 A.M. Walked to Alexandria in just 2 hours. 7 1/2 miles having 25 minutes to wait for train we walked to Chr(i)sts Church - Returned by train at house at 830 for breakfast had a good time felt first rate - I recd letter from (p. 12) Joseph - Mr Parsons called - wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia, to Leonard & Joseph and enclosed Bro Webbers letter to Bro Cushing - Bro Joseph Bull called on us this afternoon, he goes on this evening to Pittsburg. he left at 930

Friday March 28/90 Rained last night & this morning. with some taunder & lightning - a terrible cyclone at Louisville, Ky. Took a Turkish bath with Bros Jaine & Hammond. Bought 300 Quinine Pills for G A Shumway. Bro F. A. Hammond left by the B. & P. train at 7.40 for home. I sent the Pills with him - I recd letter from Elizabeth of Mar 24th all well at home - Rec Pres. Faylor's Photo from Sophia -

Saturday March 29/90. I spent the day in the office. wrote some public letters - & went to Harris Theatre at night. "Passions Leave"

Sunday Mar 30/90 Took a walk with Mr Dibble & Leedom to Benney's Race Course 3 miles. where Mr Leedom stopped. we went on the Anacostia Road and crossed River on Penn Ave New Bridge to 11th & C St & rode on Herdic home. 7 miles inate (sic) - I attended the 1st Baptist Church this evening on 16th St. and was much (p. 13) interested in the services Rev C. A Stakely preached. Saw 2 young women baptized in the font which is on the Stand. The Minister came in the front and read some passages of

Scripture & offered prayer. then he led one lady down into the font, and holding her with his left hand raised his right hand & said - "In obedience to the command of my heavenly master and upon your profession of faith in him, I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, amen" - & then immersed the converts and lead her out - I recd. a letter from Jas Jack informing me of the Sale of our Street Railway Stock at \$6500 and my City Gas Stock at \$11000 per share - also letter from Bro Jas A Cushing.

Monday Mar. 31/90. Quite cool this morning - Snowed all day. Bro Frank J Cannon called this afternoon. he and wife arrived last evening and are at the Ebbett House. conversed on home affairs. I paid Mrs Keeler \$2000 and quit boarding at her house.

Tuesday April 1st 1890 Fine clear day. Took breakfast with Mr Dibble but we were not satisfied with the place. Sent off a number of arguments &c. Wrote some public letters (p. 14) Recd letters from Elizabeth & Sophia of Mar 27 & 26. all well at home - This evening attended the national conference on the Christian Principles of Civil Government, at Lincoln Music Hall and heard some speeches on this New Move. They want to have God in the Constitution and the Church Supreme to the State- Just what the Latter day Saints have claimed and been blamed for by the Christians all the time. Took dinner at the "Temple Cafe".

Wednesday, April 2/90 I called at Mr Keyzers. He has finished the pictures of Sister Faylor & Millie and they look very well - Bro F. J. Cannon called. The Idaho bill comes up in the House to-day. I went to the War Dept about Bro B. Wells appointment to West Point. Called on Bro. Cannon & wife this evening & went with them to the New Nat Theatre. "The High-

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land Bell" Miss Adams & daughter in the cast & played.

Thursday April 3/90 A fine day - Called on Mr Keyser paid him \$2500 & left Bro Taylors Photo to be painted in Crayon - called on Bro Caine at his room, he is suffering with rheumatism - we went to the House this afternoon but he could not stop - The Idaho bill & amendments under discussion. (p. 15) The amendments were voted on as follows: - First, Yeas 111 - Nays 125. Majority 14. Second, (Yeas) 104. (Nays) 121 (Majority) 17 Third - vote No. by rising vote. Vote on admission Yeas 129, Nays 1, refusing to vote 67. The Speaker counted a quorum present and the bill so passed at 5.10 p. m. Sent a telegram to the Presidency at home - Recd. letter from Elizabeth Wi(1)ford & Clara all well. Bro Madsen takes my offer on land purchase - I called on Bro Caine this evening - also attended the National Conference at Lincoln Hall and heard two good speeches - While this body of people are meeting and arguing for liberty & freedom of the Church. The Congress is passing a law to deprive the Saints of their political rights in consequence of their religious (sic) views and practice.

Friday April 4th/90 Good Friday and the First day of Conference at home. It rained very hard. At the request of Bro Caine I went for Judge Carlton and arranged for Judge C to write up some matters for printing in the Congressional Record on the Idaho Admission bill - Bro F J Cannon called on me at my room - he has moved to the "Auborn" (p. 16) on Penn Ave. - I wrote to Elizabeth about her coming here - also to Sophia. Bro Spence & Cushing Bought a Bicycle for Willie \$3.50 & packed it for shipping Wrote some public letters.

Saturday April 5/90 a fine day - I got 13 of my photos from Mr Davis

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\$200 I recd letters from Bros H. J Grant & S. S. Jones. Called on Bro F. J. Cannon & wife & spent 2 hours in conversation -

Sunday April 6/90 Easter Sunday & our Annual Conference at home a fine pleasant day. Bro. Navarre called on me this morning for a short time. I attended the Catholic Services at St Patricks Church 10th St Bishop Keem preached - Said that Good Friday was the day to bury our sins in Christ and to arise with him on Easter Sunday. The tomb of Christ is the baptismal font wherein we are buried and arise to a newness of life in Christ - Sent a telegram to the Presidency that General Agent of the Dept of Justice Elijah C. Foster is due at Salt Lake this morning to investigate the U. S. Court officers - I called at Bro Caines room and with him & family attended the "Church of our Father", Universalist this evening, The Sabbath school had an (p. 17) entertainment.

Monday April 7/90 Rained this morning - Rec letters from Jos & Bro T. G. Webber, also from Sophia all well - & from G. A Shumway. Busy writing during the morning. Sent Bicycle by express - Went to the White House grounds. Saw hundreds of children rolling eggs & in other games - - Marine Band in attendance. Spent the evening with Bro Caine & family - I attended the U S Supreme Court to day. Saw Mr Baskin there. Ex Gov West is also here.

Tuesday, April 8/90. Busy writing out a speech for Bro Caine on Idaho Constitution & Admission bill for printing in the Congressional Record. I wrote to Bro H. J. Grant and sent a blank signed for \$300000 stock in the State Bank of Utah. Also wrote to Bro T. G. Webber authorizing him to vote as proxy for me in Z C. M. I meeting to increase the capital Stock and asking him to reserve my quota of shares - also wrote to Joseph - called at Bro Caines at his request and accompanied Florence and

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Mabel to Lincoln Music Hall to a grand Operatic Concert Miss Marie Decca the principle singer. Very foggy tonight much like English Weather. (p.18)

Wednesday April 9/90 a fine day. I finished writing Mr Caine's speech - Mr Parson's called this morning also F. J. Cannon - wrote some public letters and spent the evening at my room reading.

Thursday April 10th/90 Read revise of Bro Caine's speech - called at some of the Stores wrote to James Jack also to Sophia also to Bro. Geo. Reynolds about Saving's Bank Stock &. I sent a Fower of Attorney to Bro R. to vote my stock in Z. S. B. & T. Cos. meeting of Stockholders. wrote some public letters.

Friday, April 11th 1890. Fine day. engaged in my room - In the afternoon attended the Military Parade & Review on the Grounds South of the White House. given in honor of the Pan American Congress it was a nice affair - Wrote to Elizabeth Clara & Wilford - Senator Cullom presented bills in the Senate yesterday & Mr. Isaac S. Struble of Iowa in the House to-day to disfranchise the Mormons in Utah. Sent a telegram to the Presidency asking what course to pursue with said bills. We find that R. H. Baskin is the author of these bills.

Saturday April 12/90. Bro Caine & Daughters. M Pratt, F J Cannon Wife & (p. 19) and lady friend & daughter & myself went to Mt Vernon this morning. On the boat I had my likeness taken in silhouette 4 copied 50¢ - gave one to Bro Caine & one to Bro Cannon. had a pleasant time & returned at 330 p m. Recd letter from Elizabeth all well at home - Recd telegram from Presidency and wrote to them. Walked out awhile -

Sunday April 13, 1890. Spent the Morning in reading the minutes of Conference - Took dinner at 230 at Mrs Kants with Bro Caine & family - Went

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to the First Baptist Church & heard a good sermon by Rev C. A. Stakely on Paul & his labors - Hon Samuel J. Randall died at 5 a.m. to-day after a long & painful sickness -

Monday April 14/90 a fine warm day - In room writing - Went to Supreme Court at 12 M. no decision in our cases - Mr Worthington called and told me that he had learned the Court were not satisfied on the right of Congress to pass a law escheating personal property, and it was on the escheating business they were undecided upon - wrote several public letters. F J Cannon called Mrs C is quite unwell with indigestion.

Tuesday April 15/90 Another fine day. Engaged in putting up & addressing Flower seeds. sent parcels to the felks at home - Mr Parsons (p. 20) & F. J. Cannon called. Bro Caine has engaged other rooms on I street and we purpose moving next Monday. Went to Harris Theatre -

Wednesday April 16/90 Fine day. Busy packing up some of our effects to move The Disfranchisement bill was up in Comty (sic) today. and was amended to make it applicable to all the Territories. The Repubs wanted to report it, but it went over till next Wednesday The Dem's opposed it. Sent telegram to Presidency about it - Mr Parson's called - This is Emancipation day the colored people are having a good time celebrating. I saw their procession - called at Bro Cannon's room - this evening were not at home -

Thursday April 17/90. Cloudy - Recd letters from Elizabeth & Sophia all well at home also from Bro Spence - Marshal Parson's was confirmed last evening sent telegram to the Presidency of this fact. Mr P. called. he leaves for home this afternoon. He says Mr Critchlow has been appointed Asst Dist Atty for Utah - Called at Mr Keyser's about picture purposes

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having them ready by Saturday - I wrote to Mr Delos Staples. Portland Ionia Co. Mich. and enclosed Money order for \$100 for Blue-berry plants to be sent to Elizabeth - I wrote to Sophia and J. A. Cushing. It rained this afternoon & evening. (p. 21)

Friday April 18/90. A fine day - got all ready for moving - wrote out part of a speech for Bro Caine for next Wednesday before the Comty (sic) on Ters on the Struble bill - wrote to Elizabeth & to Bro Spence Took my dinner at Harvey's -

Saturday April 19/90. Put up speeches & reports of Gen McClernand - Recd letters from Joseph, Leonard, H. J. Grant, T. G. Webber & J. L. Bunting - Called at Mr Keyzers - Bro Taylors picture is finished. I ordered them to be packed to send next Monday Bro Caine is not feeling very well this evening - spent evening in room reading.

Sunday April 20/90 fine day - Found Bro Caine better this morning. I attended the N. Y. Ave Presbyterian Church and afterwards at St Patricks Church where I saw Cardinal Gibbon confirm some 200 members mostly boys & girls. Nellie & Blake Tolty were confirmed - Went on car to Georgetown & back and rode on cable Car up 7th Street & walked back for a change-

Monday April 21/90. No decision in Supreme Court on church suits to-day - We moved our effects to day from office. to Mrs Winslows. #922 I. St N.W. Put up some speeches - Called at Mr Keyser's (p. 22) & paid him 13.50 for picture & boxing - also sent the 3 by Adams Express \$3.25 - I wrote to Sophia & Jas A Cushing and recd letters to night from Elizabeth & Sophia - F. J. Cannon called Mrs C. was very sick last night - I wrote some public letters.

Tuesday April 22/90. A fine day - Finished writing Bro Caines speech

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for tomorrow - I recd a check for \$3000 being the 8th Dividend on my Coop Wagon Company Stock - Bro Caine & myself went to Bro Cannon's room tonight found Sister C. much better - Bro Caine & myself read over his speech to see that we had it correct this evening.

Wednesday April 23/90. A fine day - Bro Caine appeared before the Comty on Ters this morning and had an hour or all the time he wanted granted to make his speech, which appeared to have a good effect upon the Comty.

Mr Dubois objected to his speaking but the Comty gave him the time. It came out that Gov Thomas & West have been taking part in pressing this measure, although they told Bro Caine that they were not and would not - I wrote a long synopsis of the speech which was sent by telegraph by Mr Guthridge to the Salt Lake Herald Bro Caine helping - wrote some public letters - (p. 23)

Thursday April 24th 1890 - Cloudy & rain during the day - addressing speeches. The Comty, ordered Mr Caines speech to be printed for the use of the Committee - We got it ready for the printer. Recd a letter from Son George A. also the deed from Bro Madsen for 25 acres of land which I bought for \$375.00 I examined the deed and abstract of title.

Friday, April 25, 1890. Rained all night & this morning - wrote some public letters - I wrote to Sophia & Jas A Cushing - Recd letter from C. A. C. by Bro & Sister Caine who called on me this evening - Bro F. J. Cannon called and explained to me his labors here - of his grand project for the Worlds Fair at Chicago of an earth map of the United States &c. It is a grand scheme if it can be carried out. It is proposed to have it on a scale of 1 yard to the Mile which will acquire about 750 acres of ground -

Saturday April 26/90. Rained all night & this morning. I wrote to Eliz-

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abeth & Geo. A. & G A. Shumway - and enclosed an order to Elizabeth on Jas Jack for \$37500 to pay for the land. Judge Wilson made an argument before the House Comty on Ters today on the Disfranchisement bill - also Ex Senator Sanders of the Utah Commission. (p. 24)

Sunday, April 27/90. Spent the Morning with Bro Caine & wife & F. J. Cannon & wife who called - rained heavy this afternoon. I attended the First Baptist Church this evening. heard Mr Stakely on the subject of the Day of Penticost and was introduced to him.

Monday, April 28/90 This is the Anniversary of Elizabeths birth-day I had forgotten about it until to-day. I felt to ask the blessings of the Lord upon her, and to be thankful that she has passed through another year, and we are hopeful for the future - No decision in the Church suit in Supreme Court today - The House Committee on Territories by a strict party vote agreed to report the disfranchisement bill to the House-Amended by making it strictly for Utah - I walked out for a short time this evening.

Tuesday April 29/90 A very fine day - I went to the State Dept this morning and got a passport for Bro R. F. Neslin who wrote from New York for it as he going to Europe - I went to Mr Fords this afternoon to get our Newspaper Directory but could not find it - spent about 2 hours in conversation with Mr Ford. Called on Mrs Howells on my return she leaves for New York (p. 25) to-morrow - I recd a notice from W. B Preston calling for 30% of my subscription for State Bank of Utah Stock - I sent an order on James Jack for \$90000 with a letter and asked him to pay the amount to H. M. Wells - Mr Struble presented his bill & report to the House today - I walked out for a short time -

Wednesday April 30/90 Took a walk this morning - Recd a telegram from

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the Presidency asking if we want more help on the disfranchisement bills: which was answered - Also wrote a letter .if help can come of men who are personally interested, or their business influence can be used, they may do some good - Recd letter from Sophia all well at home - Arthur Pratt and Son Arthur arrived this evening and came to Bro Caine's. Pat Lannan also arrived with them they having travelled together from Salt Lake - Recd letter from Clara - Wrote a letter to Prest Joseph F Smith - walked out awhile -

Thursday May 1/90 I helped Bro Caine & folks to move to 922 I. st. and I commenced boarding at Mrs Winslow's. Bro Caine introduced me to Mr. Arthur Pratt. I was busy to-day in my room - I spent the evening in Bro Caine's room. A Pratt there most of the time. (p. 26) We conversed on Utah & other matters. 1890

Friday May 2/90 Busy in my room - a fine day. This afternoon I took Mr Pratts son to the Monument & other public buildings as they purpose leaving tomorrow morning - F. J. Cannon called - Wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia - also some public letters -

Saturday May 3/90 A. Pratt, & daughter Mabel & Son left by this mornings train at 920 for New York - had a Shower of rain - wrote some public letters - Recd letter from Sophia all well April 27th - walked out this evening - Senator Jas. B. Beck - dropped dead in the-B-&-P--depot-at (sic) 4 oclock this afternoon.

Sunday May 4/90 Cloudy & rain - attended St Mathews Catholic Church this morning - In my room reading all afternoon Attended 1st Baptist Church heard a good sermon & saw a young woman baptized - after leeting met Dr Coe & son - he invited me to call & see him at 1217 O. St. N W

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Monday May 5/90 A fine day & warm - No decision in Supreme Court to-day
I wrote some on a speech for Bro Caine on the disfranchisement bill should
it come up in the House it did not - Wrote to C. A. C. & to S. S. Jones
also some public (p. 27) letters and walked out in the evening -

Tuesday May 6/90. Rained in the Night - The funeral of Senator Jas E.
Beck was held in the Senate Chamber at 1 p m. - Busy putting up speeches
for S States Mission - Wrote several public letters The Democrats at
home have telegraphed a remonstrance to the Disfranchisement bill - to Rep
Springer a very strong document - Walked out this evening for 2 hours.

Wednesday May 7/90 Walked 3 Miles before breakfast - Recd letter from
D. H. Cannon at New York and answered it, He starts for England on Sat-
urday next. Busy putting up speeches and walked out this evening -

Thursday May 8/90 Rained all night & this morning - Bro John W. Young
arrived from New York. & called on us. He returns to N. Y. this evening
& starts for England next Saturday. He reported the brethren at home all
well. He blessed me at parting - I bought a few things \$873 - Wrote
out some extracts for Judge Wilson for his Argument before the Senate
Comty next Monday on the Disfranchisement bill -

Friday May 9/90 Nice & Clear - had a walk - wrote out more extracts
(p. 28) for Judge Wilson - also some public letters - also wrote to
Elizabeth & Sophia - to J A Cushing & G. F. Gibbs - Recd letter from
W. C. Spence and receipt for \$900.00 per H L Wells Cashier State Bank of Utah-

Saturday May 10/90 Had walk - rained most of the day. Busy in room - I
wrote to Leonard & Joseph. Prest. Geo. Q. Cannon arrived from New York at 835
pm. Bros. Caine, F.J. Cannon & myself Met him at the B & P depot - Bros Can-
non. Caine & myself sat up till 2 a.m. talking about home affairs &c -

Sunday May 11/90 Cloudy & Cold. staid in house untill 4 p m in conver-

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sation. walked out - Bro F J Cannon & wife came & spent the evening with us - Bro Cannon handed me a letter from Prest Woodruff in regard to the increase of stock in Z. S B & T. Co. - also a check #54 for \$37.50 B B & C M Co dividend - He told me about C. H. Wilcken & his labors he is just as attentive to the brethren as ever - and they have helped him now he is out of office -

Monday May 12/90 Had a walk - Busy in room with books to be sent off - Pres' Cannon with me busy writing - I made out a telegram for him & purchased a Letter Copying book (p. 29) for him - Wrote to W. C. Spence & enclosed Leonards & Josephs letters - Bro. C. W. Stayner called he is here on his mission to the Northern States - Recd letter from Elizabeth & Wilford also from Sophia, all well at home - Also Recd letter from Prest. Joseph F. Smith of May 7/90 -

Tuesday May 13/90 Busy in room addressing books - wrote some public letters. Bro. Cannon with me all day - and slept with me tonight -

Wednesday May 14/90. At the request of Bro. Cannon I purchased tickets for Barnums Circus for himself - Frank & wife - Bro Caine & daughters & myself - Busy in my room - This evening we all attended the Circus. 3 rings - 2 Squares all occupied at once. the burning of Rome is a fine spectacle. Came on to rain as we went and continued to pour until about an hour after the circus was over - we remained & went home dry - I took a telegram to the Telegraph office at about 12 o'clock when it came on to rain again & Kept it up all night.

Thursday May 15/90 Bro Cannon slept with me last night - In my room all day also Bro Cannon - Mr Landers a friend of Bro Cannon called this evening I was introduced to him (p. 30) Bro J. M. Browning of Ogden called

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and remained in conversation about 2 hours - He left for New York this evening to go and talk with his business friends in regard to the Struble & Cullem bills to use an influence against them -

(sic)
Friday May 16/90 Bro Cannon slept with me, busy addresssing/books Bro Cannon also with me writing - Wrote to Elizabeth and Sophia - walked out this evening.

Saturday May 17/90 Busy in room also Bro Cannon - we all went to Albaugh's Theatre this evening on invitation of Bro Cannon -

Sunday May 18/90 Nice day - Spent the morning in reading and conversation - In the afternoon Bro Caine & wife & F. J. Cannon & wife took a carriage ride. Bro Cannon & myself & Bro Caines daughters rode on belt line car then on 7th St cable car - and afterwards Bro Cannon & myself rode on Electric Car to the University and walked to Bro F J Cannons in the evening - I also called on Judge Carlton who has had an operation on his eye performed. he is doing well - Recd letter from Elizabeth all well - also from H J Grant and Geo. F. Gibbs - (p. 31)

Monday May 19/90 A Warm day - We learn by telegraph that Bro Henry Dinwoodey's Store at Salt Lake City was burned down yesterday loss \$125,000. Bro F J Cannon made an argument before the Senate Comty on Tere today on the Cullem disfranchisement bill - Wrote to Delos Stapels, Mich. about those Blueberry plants which have not been received at home - The U. S. Supreme Court rendered their decision in the Church Suits today. They affirmed the decision of the Territorial Supreme Court of Utah in every particular. the opinion was given by Justice Bradley. Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Field & Lamar dissented - Ex Senator McDonald filed Motion for stay of Mandate - This was telegraphed to the Presidency at

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home. Thus we are robbed as a Church by the U. S. Government -

Tuesday May 20/90. All well - Busy in my room - Bros Jas Sharp & Lewis

S. Hills arrived last night & called on us this morning They have met with business friends on these Disfranchisement bills. and want further information. after conversation it was arranged that they return to New York see friends and get letters sent here to Senators & Representatives against bills - I went with them to the Capitol & Supreme Court. while there Mr McDonald made motion for (p. 32) rehearing of Church Suits. was given till Thursday to prepare papers. Met Judge Wilson & introduced the brethren to him & Mr McDonald - I took lunch with them at the Riggs House. then to my room I wrote some public letters. We all went to Albaughs Theatre tonight - (Queens handkerchief) on invitation of Bro Cannon - Recd letter from Sophia, all well -

Wednesday May 21/90. I went with Bros Sharp & Hills to the Public buildings We met Heber John Richards wife & 2 daughters. F W Taylor & wife accompanies them to Europe next Tuesday - Took lunch at Riggs House - went to Corcoran Art Gallery & on cars to Georgetown - These brethren left for N. Y. by 450 p m train - I wrote telegram to Prest Woodruff for Bro Cannon - Recd letter from Bro. Spence about Elizabeth coming - went to telegraph office at 11 p m.

Thursday May 22/90. Cloudy but fine - To work in office - Bro Will Clawson & wife & 2 children arrived and called - I went with them to see the sights, leaving the children with Mrs. Caine & girls - Bro Elias Morris called on us he arrived this afternoon - Bro. H. B. Clawson & Col. Isaac Trumbo arrived this evening. I wrote to Bro. Spence & sent an order on Bro J. Jack for \$10000 for Elizabeths fare &c - also a letter to Prests

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Woodruff & Smith for Bro Cannon - retired. (p. 33) to bed at 12 oclock -
Friday, May 23/90 Bro John Clark arrived this morning & called on us. I
met Bro Clawson & Mr Isaac Trumbo this morning & was introduced to Mr
Trumbo - afterwards met them again in our room & had nice talk with them-
I got 15 of my photos from Mr Davis for \$2.25 - I wrote to Elizabeth and
Sophia Bros James Jack & W C Spence - I got a room for Bro E. Morris at
#920. He promised to take a small parcel for me for Sophia which I packed
tonight - On Motion of Mr McDonald the Supreme Court stayed the Mandate
in the Church Suit until next fall and set aside the decree. did not grant
a rehearing. This gives time to work against the decision. The influence
of friends had already been brought to bear on the Court - I worked on a
census report which I wished to send to Sophia.

Saturday May 24/90 Bro. H E. Clawson called I had a talk with him on home
& mine affairs - We met Mr Trumbo at the Arlington - I called on Judge
Carlton at his room for some important papers & got them - he is improv-
ing in his eye - Bro E. Morris had an interview with the Secretary of War
on our question. I met Bro F. J. Cannon at the B & P depot this evening on
his (p. 34) return from Chicago. afterwards joined the brethren with Bros
Morris & Clark at Albaughs Theatre to see the Mikado by the Carlton Opera
troupe -

Sunday May 25th/90 Recd letter from Joseph all well - Walked out with
Bros. Cannon, Caine & Clawson and took lunch with them at the Arlington on
invitation of Bro Clawson - afterwards talked with Bro Cannon on the
census to be taken at home & the safety of our folks. I filled out a blank
and wrote a letter to Sophia explaining my wishes as to her welfare- also wrote
out a telegram to Prest Woodruff & Smith calling their attention to this matter

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for Bro Cannon - He also made out census returns for his folks - & we walked out. Bros Morris & Clark went to Mt Vernon to-day -

Monday May 26/90. I made out a Census blank for Elizabeth & family & wrote them a letter also wrote to Joseph and enclosed the whole to him - Bro Junius F. Wells came from New York and went back again this evening. Bro. Morris called on Secretary Proctor again today also on Senator John P. Jones of Nev. - Bro John Clark called on some members and explained our side of the case on the Cullom & Struble bills - Bro Clark went (p. 35) to New York to night - I wrote some public letters also one for Bro Cannon to Prest Woodruff & Smith about the census. A disagreeable wet day - Recd letter from Leonard Teenie had a daughter on last Monday night May 19th at 6 Min past 11 oclock both doing well. I am very thankful. He also says Elizabeth will start on the 31st - We have received a large number of petitions to Congress against the Cullom & Struble bills from Salt Lake, Ogden and the Territory = 14871 non-polygamous Mormons - 436 non-Mormons from Ogden and 147 non Mormons from Salt Lake 397 from Idaho and 356 from Wyoming -

Tuesday May 27/90. Went with Bro E Morris to the Patent office, Post office Dept - Pension office & District Commissioner's office Saw Mr Moss the Street Supt. and Bro. Morris got some valuable information from him about making asphalt roads &c. I walked around with him & he bought his ticket to go to Chicago to night. Bro Clawson & Mr Trumbo called - I had some talk with Bro Clawson about my family affairs at home - will have more talk - Bro Morris left on the 930 B & O train for Chicago. he took small parcel for Sophia - I helped Bro. Cannon with his personal affairs. he left for New York at 1030. Bro Caine & I saw him off (p. 36) Bro F. J. Cannon

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told me this evening that Mr Struble had agreed to withdraw his bill from the House if he can get the consent of the Majority of the Comty (sic) on Ters. - These bills and their consideration seem to be in good shape. No disposition to push them -

Wednesday May 28/90. F. J Cannon & wife left this morning for Chicago. he will return in a few days - busy in my room addressing books - Recd letter from Sophia. all well - also from C A C - I went to the Theatre this evening "Erminie"

Thursday May 29/90 A fine day - Recd letter from Elizabeth all well - Judge Carlton called he is much better. I concluded to go to Gettysburg tomorrow. busy in room

Friday May 30/90 Arose early. took breakfast and at Depot before 7 a.m. got my ticket 150 and started on Excursion train at 7.25 had a pleasant trip through a new country to me. Gettysburg is an old place. I got some lunch & started out to see the sights. Went to Cemetery Hill & over the battle ground there - through the Cemetery and along the Tanney town road to Little Round top. called at Genl Meads headquarters and noticed several Monuments of note. fell in company with 3 men who were like myself (p. 37) bent on seeing the country so we went together. I had a good map of the whole field - While on little round top Col Bachelor and the Congressional party came up and I stood by the Col. while he made a full explanation of the battles & pointed out the location of the several commands, which was very interesting - I saw Mr Washington of the party and accompanied the Congressional party on their train over the battle ground and took lunch with them under a tent provided for them. here it rained but we were all right under cover. After lunch we walked to the train, one of the party

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joined me with an umbrella on the way - I then went with the party to Gettysburg where they left for Pen Mar and I boarded our train and started back at 7.25 arrived at 11 p m. I spent a very agreeable day. Bro Caine went to New York this morning -

Saturday May 31/90. Recd a notice from H. M. Wells of my 10% due on Stake Bank of Utah Stock - I sent it to James Jack - I went with Mrs. Caine this afternoon to the B & P depot and met Mrs. Willard Young & 3 children also her Sisters Cora & Allie Hooper. they came from Memphis. the Captain having telegraphed of their coming. We had them taken to the Ebbett House Wrote to Sophia and Leonard - I expect that Elizabeth (p. 38) and Wilford left home today to come to me with Bro A. Winter -

Sunday June 1/90. A fine day. I spent the morning in my room reading - Bro Caine returned from New York - I went down to the Arsenal this afternoon - Recd a letter from Bro Jack with a receipt of payment to the State Bank of Utah - of my cash in his hands being \$193290 also a statement of my account -

Monday June 2/90 A very warm day. Recd a telegram from Bro A Winter at Pueblo, Col. he & company left there at 930 last night for Chicago - Called on Rep. Struble at his residence for Bro Caine in regard to Bro F. J. Cannon meeting with the Committee next Wednesday. He was quite pleasant & said the committee would meet & Mr Cannon would be heard - Bro Caine was very sick last night Mrs. Caine called me up at 3 oclock. I went & administered to him and sat with him till 4 a m when he felt better. Bp Fred Kesler of the 16th ward Salt Lake, called on us this afternoon from New York. I went with him to the Monument and walked out a little while this evening. I wrote to Pres' Geo Q Cannon at New York.

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Tuesday June 3/90 A fine day - I went out with Bro Kesler & procured (p. 39) his tickets. and took him around in the afternoon & to the Capitol & B & O Depot when he left for St. Louis at 4 p m - I then called on Mrs Young and Sisters at the Ebbett House was just in time to see them as they were starting for the Steamer to go to Old Point Comfort - Bro F. J Cannon arrived from Chicago and came to our room at 6 p.m. Bro Wm B. Barton & Albert Teasdel arrived from New York at 8 p m - and came to our room and staid all night in the house as we got them a room - We spent the evening in conversation - Recd telegram at 1050 p m. "He & company start from Chicago to night arrive at New York Friday". Recd letter from Delos Staples Portland - Mich - Very warm to-day.

Wednesday June 4/90. Pres Cannon returned from New York this morning Bro F J Cannon made an argument before the House Comty (sic) on Ters. on the Struble bill. This is an unusual thing. to hear arguments after a bill has been reported to the House - Bro Caine was with him - I went with Bros Barton & Teasdel to see the sights - Recd letter from Sophia of May 29. all well - also from Bro Spence of May 31. Elizabeth & Wilford started on the 31st

Thursday June 5/90 Bros Barton & Teasdel went to Mt Vernon to day - I went with them to the Navy Yard in the Afternoon - Bro F J. Cannon (p. 40) left for Chicago this morning at 8 oclock - Imade up a parcel for Bro Barton to take home - By telegrams from Bro A H Cannon in New York I learn that Elizabeth & company should reach there at Midnight Friday - Bros Spencer Clawson. W. H. Rowe & F. W Jennings arrived from Philadelphia this morning & called on us - They have several letters & will call on some Senators & members - I wrote to Prests. Woodruff & Smith for Bro Cannon - I saw Bros Barton & Teasdel off on the 930 p m train B & O - they took my parcel - Very warm.

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Friday June 6/90. A very warm day. busy in room addressing books at 325 recd. telegram that Elizabeth would leave N. Y at 11 a.m. I went to the B & P depot at 350 they did not come - I went again at 555 p m. & met her & Wilford, and Bro T. V. Williams & wife - come on to rain about 5 p.m. & turned cooler - I got the folks to the house all right & spent the evening with E & W - Wrote to Sophia -

Saturday June 7/90 Much cooler to day - Bros. Clawson, Rowe & Williams called Bro Jennings started for home this morning. he could not stand the heat. Busy in my room Bro S. Clawson left for New York this evening. He & Bro Rowe had seen several senators & had interviews with them - Walked out this evening with Elizabeth & (p. 41) Wilford and bought some needed things - among which suit of clothes & hat for Wilford \$5.50.

Sunday June 8/90. A fine day. Staid in house all day until 5 p m then in company with Bro Cannon, Mr & Mrs. Caine & Martie we went down the River to Marshal Hall at 6 p m. on the Charles Macullish returned at 10 p m. we took supper at Hinke & Budds. I bought trip tickets & street car had a nice time. It is 38 years since Elizabeth was on a Steam boat & first time for Wilford -

Monday June 9/90. Bro Rowe called also Sept Lears - walked out with Elizabeth & Wilford to do some shopping - Bro Melvin Cummings & wife, Geo. T. Odell & wife arrived from New York & called. we were not in - I wrote to Bro W. C. Spence & Joseph - Recd letter from Bro Spence - Bro. Cannon recd a letter from Pres' Smith in which he says the Deputies had made a raid on Sophia's house but she was not at home and they did not get her. She having left her home to avoid the Census taker. I conferred with Bro Cannon & he thought matters could be made right with the officers if he or Bro Clawson

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were at home. I sent a telegram to Bro Smith as follows: "Have folks Keep away until G. Q. Cannon & H. B. Clawson returns." This seemed to be the best I could do - (p. 42)

Tuesday June 10th/90 A warm day - H. B. Clawson & Mr. Trumbo returned from New York this Morning & called on us. Bros Cummings & Rowe called they obtained passports for Cummings & Odell as they are going to Europe they left for New York this evening - Recd a letter from Sophia all well - she tells me the Deputy raid was a false alarm. It was a man from Thos. E. Taylors to collect a bill and his blundering way caused alarm to Mrs. Francis who was at the house at the time - I also recd a letter from Prest. Jos. F. Smith giving the same word. for this I am truly thankful - I walked out with E. & W for an hour this evening -

Wednesday June 11/90. Very Warm. I assisted Bro Cannon to get ready to leave for home - got his ticket & luggage checked Recd letter from Bro C W Stayner with a request to get his letters & mail them to him at Baltimore - Bro John H White called. he had several letters to Senators & Members. we arranged for him to see some of them to-night - Pres' Cannon left by the 250 p m train for New York. Bro Caine & I saw him off - wrote to Bro Stayner. I had a talk with Bro Clawson about my family affairs &c. he promised to see after Sophia when he (p. 43) returned if the officers wanted her - had some rain showers -

Thursday June 12th/90. quite warm. Bro Clawson called. he was not well last night - Bro Caine & I administered to him - I anointed Bro C. mouth - I bought 300 Quinine Pills for Bro Spence and Bro. Clawson said he would deliver them - Col Trumbo called he asked me for an order from me so he could draw his 1/4 share of my Stock in the B B & C M Co. Bro Clawson & Mr. Trumbo

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left this morning for Chicago & home - I took Wilford to the Patent office - Bro White had interviews with Reps Mason & Lawler. I & Wilford walked out with him this evening - had some rain -

Friday, June 13/90. Busy in room. Bro. White had another interview with Mr Mason this Morning, and left for Chicago at 1130 a.m - Wrote to Sophia - Leonard. & Bro Spence - We walked out this evening & saw the Troops march on the Avenue with fireworks - Bro R. W. Sloan called.

Saturday June 14/90 Warm to day, busy in room - I went with E & W. to Centre Market and then to do some shopping - we went to the White House grounds & heard the Music of the 3rd Artillery Band Bro R. W Sloan left this evening - Sunday June 15/90 (p. 44) We went to the Congregational Church at 11 a.m.

and in the Afternoon to the Arsenal. cool & pleasant. Spent the evening in Bro Caines room as Sister Caine & daughters start for home tomorrow.

Monday June 16/90. Weather cool - some rain - busy writing - assisted Bro Caine with their trunks - and with Wilford. Saw Mrs Caine & daughters off at 740 p m. B & P. depot. Bro Caine went to Baltimore with them.

Tuesday June 17/90. Cool & Cloudy. Busy, moved our office to the front room so that myself & folks can occupy the office room - which is much the best room we have had. We got comfortably located - Wrote to the Presidency- Recd letter from Sophia & from Jacob S. Boreman on school matters - We walked out this evening -

Wednesday June 18/90. fine day. busy in office - wrote to C. W. Stayner & sent him some letters which I have also been doing every few days - walked out this evening. Wrote to C. A. C

Thursday June 19/90. Fine clear day - busy in office all morning - after lunch took Elizabeth & Wilford on belt line of cars to the Bureau of Print-

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ing & Engraving. & Monument - (p. 45) Wrote some public letters & walked out with W. this evening.

Friday June 20/90 Wrote to the Presidency & other public letters - Recd letter from Joseph - This afternoon went with Wilford & Bro Caine to Takoma Park. looked over our effects there. had supper at Mr. Fords and returned in the evening - Senator Edmunds called up his bill S4047 on Church Personal Property - it was passed over till tomorrow. Wrote to Sophia -

Saturday June 21/90. At request of Bro. Caine I called on Judge Carlton to get his help with Senators to defeat Edmunds & his bill - Bro. Caine called on Ex. Senator McDonald - Rained very hard - Edmunds called up his bill and forced it through the Senate against all opposition on 5 majority votes - We sent two telegrams to the Presidency - Recd letter from Mary - E & W. had letters from Mary & Clara - Walked out this evening -

Sunday June 22/90 We attended St Patrick's Catholic Church this morning. Spent afternoon in room reading. Went to Georgetown on Car after dinner & over the Free bridge into Virginia, & returned. Had a Severe rain storm this evening with Thunder & Lightning - the loudest continuous roaring (p.46) of thunder I ever heard before -

Monday June 23/90 Fine this morning - I engaged to Wilford to learn to ride a bicycle & he took some lessons - Wrote some public letters and sent off some documents - Wrote to James Jack & sent order for \$10000 for myself - also wrote to Joseph & Mary E & W. also wrote home - The Senate Comty on Ters. decided to report a new Test Oath bill for Utah similar to the Arizona bill submitted early in the session - Recd letter from Sophia all well - we walked out this eve

Tuesday, June 24/90. Very warm to.day, busy putting up McClernand's re-

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port - Wrote to C. W. Stayner and to A. H. Cannon at New York - we walked out this evening.

Wednesday June 25/90. Very warm - Judge Carlton called also Wm A Johnson Capt. Willard Young arrived on his way to meet his wife & children at Old Point Comfort - and called upon us - walked out.

Thursday. June 26/90. Yet very warm - busy in office during the Morning. Went with E & W to the Treasury & Corcoran Art Gallery - and called on Dr & Mrs Coe this evening - Recd letter from C. W. Stayner. (p. 47)

Friday June 27/90. Still Warm. Went with E. & W to the State, War & Navy, Dept. to Naval Observatory & White House - In the afternoon to the Navy Yard, saw the Torpedo Boat Cushing a very nice craft - went on board the "Dale" & through the shops & all of which was very interesting to E. & W- Senator Edmunds, tried to get up his bill to give the Gov. of Utah power to appoint Ter & Co Officers. it went over - The bill to admit Wyoming into the Union passed in the Senate with some amendments - Senator Platt called up the Idaho Admission bill it went over till Monday - Wrote to Sophia -

Saturday June 28/90. Very warm. Mr. Platt from the Senate Comty on Ters. reported (S 3480) bill for Test Oath in Utah - amended - The bill for a Public Building in Ogden passed the Senate \$250,000. Went with E & W to the Smithsonian Institue & National Museum - wrote to the Presidency & sent them a telegram.

Sunday June 29/90. Very warm - Attended Services at Ephemy Church this Morn- ing heard Dr McKim- Wrote out some lists of offices in Utah now filled by appointment of the Governor - also those sought to be filled by the Edmunds bill - for the use of Senators tomorrow if (p. 48) needed. Bro. Caine took one copy to Judge Carlton. We all went to the "Shilo" colored Baptist Church

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this evening. Bro Caine also.

Monday June 30/90. a little cooler - Judge Carlton called he had seen Senator Blackburn & posted him on Edmunds bill. Bro Caine tried to find other Members at their rooms but did not do so - Bro Caine took what papers we had prepared to the Capitol - Wrote to Bro B. N. Shutler and asked him to reserve for me 15 or 20 shares of Z. S. B. & T. Cos. Stock - also wrote a proxy for Bp. J. P. R. Johnson to vote my stock in Provo Factory Co. at special meeting of stockholders on July 9/90 to change articles so as to enable the company to manufacture & Dispose of Electricity - Mr Edmunds did not call up his bill today. The Idaho bill passed over - Walked out this evening. Elizabeth troubled with prickly heat -

Tuesday July 1st 1890. Cloudy - busy in office looking over letters. Settled with Mrs Winslow to June 30 for Room & Board paid her \$45.50. Recd letter from Sophia. all well - Senator J. T. Morgan of Ala -presented bill S 4176 - to prohibit Mormons entering Land in Wyoming - Edmunds Election bill called up & referred to the Calendar. May be called up at any time - The Bill for the admission (p. 49) of Idaho passed the Senate this afternoon. Bro C W Stayner called for a short time - Wrote some public letters - Walked out with Wilford to Washington Circle -

Wednesday July 2nd 1890. We had purposed going to Colonial Beach today, but it was so cloudy & like for rain that we gave it up - Called on Dr Coe & wife they will go - Busy writing public letters - We expect to obtain a pardon for Byron W. Brown, papers being prepared to-day - The Federal Election Bill passed the House to night - James A. Miner, of Mich. was confirmed as Associate Justice of Utah Supreme Court. Thunder, lightning & rain this evening & night -

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Thursday July 3, 1890 - Quite warm - Recd letter from Jas. Jack with draft #33522 of Z. S. B & T. Co. on C. B. Richards & Co N. Y. for \$100.00 which I sent for - also letter from C. W. Stayner - Went with E & W to the Pension Bureau Building and to the Capitol this afternoon - Wrote some public letters.

Friday July 4/90 - A general holiday - went with Wilford & bought him some fire crackers &c - Staid at home all day reading Very warm - Wrote to Sophia - Walked out with E & W. to the White House lot, and went to Albaughs Theatre Lamont Opera Co- in the "Bat". went home in the rain -

Saturday July 5/90. (p. 50) Some cooler to-day - Recd letter from Sophia all well also a birthday card which I appreciate very much - In the office with Bro. Caine we wrote several public letters - Recd letter from Bro A. H. Cannon at Salt Lake City - Went to White House grounds and heard the Marine Band & took a walk - Saw Mr Keysor today about John's picture - Recd letter from Jas & from Bro Jack with \$5000 for Elizabeth -

Sunday July 6, 1890. This is the 56th anniversary of my birth. I am in good health and very thankful for my present position. I am from home in the discharge of duty imposed upon me by the Servants of the Lord - My wife Elizabeth & son Wilford are with me, and my wife Sophia and all our children and their children at home are in the enjoyment of good health. We have all been greatly blessed of the Lord during the past year, so I have cause to be truly grateful to the Lord for all His mercies to me & mine and I thanked Him in my prayers - Elizabeth & Wilford handed me a nice watch chain as a birthday gift and I wore it today. After breakfast we went by the cars to the Wharf and then by Steamboat to Alexandria and attended services at Christs Church also the Communion - we sat in Genl Washingtons & Genl Robert E. Lee's pews, which they occupied when alive - Walked around & returned

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(p. 51) by boat for dinner at 2.30 - This evening we attended the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and heard a good sermon on the Mission of Jonah. Recd letter from L. G. Hardy calling for \$500. assessment on 250 shares of Deseret Canal Stock - Talked with Bro Caine about Col Jas O. Broadhead coming to appear before the House Comty on our Church Suit &c
Monday July 7, 1890. Very warm, busy in Office. Sent a telegram to the Presidency about Col. Broadhead - also filed some Memorials to Congress from the Gov. & Legislature of Utah - Recd letter from Sophia and one from Mary - wrote some public letters -

Tuesday, July 8/90. Very warm - Busy putting up documents for Southern States Mission - Wrote some public letters. Wrote to Sophia & Willie sent Birthday card - also wrote to Joseph & Mary. Wyoming admission Bill passed & was signed by the speaker today - Recd letter from ^{Bro.} Wm. Budge

Wednesday July 9/90 As per previous arrangement Elizabeth, Wilford & myself also Misses Annie & Sophia Cresswell - Mr Russel Howard & Bro & Mr Mr (sic) Probert all went by Steamer T. V. Arrowsmith to Colonial Beach some 70 miles down the Potomac. We left the Wharf at 9.15 a m arrived at 1.30 p m. We there took a bath in the River. Water nice & warm & a little (p. 52) salt. for 1 1/2 hours - saw some men catching crabs - bought some & took them home - We left at 5 o'clock, & arrived at home 10.30, having spent an enjoyable day - We took lunch along with us, Weather & sail elegant - The Wyoming bill signed by the Vice-President to-day.

Thursday July 10/90. Much cooler to-day - busy in office, wrote several public letters - went with Wilford to a number of Bicycle firms & made enquiries as to prices &c.

Friday July 11/90. A cool pleasant night - wrote to Bro. Wm Budge. I will

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take his 3 shares of Z C M I stock for \$130.00 each wrote some public letters - walke(d) out this Evening -

Saturday July 12/90 Cooler this morning - Wrote to the Presidency - went with E & W- to the Smithsonian Inst & Fish Commission & walked out in Eve. with Wilford & bought him some books - \$2.50

Sunday July 13/90 We went to St Paul's Church Protestant Episcopal - and in the evening to the "Shilo" Baptist Church. (Colored) heard a good sermon from Mr Lee. (Colored).

Monday July 14/90 Cloudy & Cool. Recd letter from Sophia of July 9/90 little (p. 53) Mary quite sick, rest all well - This is Sophia's birthday. I am thankful that the Lord has brought her through another year in health & life - Went with Bro Caine to Mr Fords. Takoma Park and got together 6 sacks & 4 boxes of pamphlets & documents - we loaded up the sacks to send by train and arranged for the boxes to come by wagon. returned at 6 p.m.- Walked out with E & W this evening -

Tuesday July 15/90 Very warm - Wrote to James Jack - L. G. Hardy - Sophia & H. J. Grant - also some public letters - E & W & myself rode out on the Electric Car to the Catholic University & Soldiers Home grounds and returned on Car this evening -

Wednesday July 16/90 Very Warm - busy putting up pamphlets for Southern States mission. Col. Jas. O. Broadhead arrived last evening & Bro Caine met him this morning - arranged for him to appear before the Sub Comty of Ters on Church property bill next Friday morning - Recd letter from Sophia. baby much better July 11/90 - we walked out this evening -

Thursday July 17/90 busy with pamphlets &c. Rec letter from C. W. Stayner walked out this evening - (p. 54)

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Friday, July 18/90. Col Broadhead appeared at the Comty. room, the Members not present - hearing put over till to-morrow - went with E. & W. to Patent office & P. O. Dept and in the afternoon with W to the Wharf and on board a four masted schooner. which I explained to him - Recd letter from C. A. C. and from Geo Reynolds with check for \$37.00 B. B. & C M. Co "Div." July - I sent a parcel to C. W. Stayner by Express - Walked with E. & W to the Capitol this evening, the House adjourned just as we got there Met Bro. Hyrum Bown and Isaac Wright of Richfield who arrived this evening and conversed with them they are Missionaries in the Northern States Mission I gave them means to get their breakfast & wrote to Bro C. W. Stayner for them so they can meet him at Baltimore to-morrow -

Saturday July 19/90. Comfortably cool - I went to the Capitol & Committee Room on the Judiciary and heard Col. Broadheads argument on the church suit bill, which was good and he seemed to make a good impression on the committee - his argument was ordered printed - Bros. Bown & Wright called this morning Bro Caine & I talked with them they leave for Baltimore at 12 m - wrote some public letters - Walked out with E & W this evening to Dupont Circle - (p. 55)

Sunday July 20/90. We attended service at the Campbellite church this morning on Vermont Avenue - and while the sacrament was administered - In the afternoon rode out to Lincoln Square & after walking through the grounds & resting we walked to the 2nd. Baptist Church, on 4th & Virginia Ave. S E. Dr. Hez Swem, preached - a very peculiar service. Rode home - quite cool. -

Monday, July 21/90. Recd check on State Bank of Utah for 30.00 #84. being the 8th dividend on Co-op Wagon & Mach- Co Stock - from R. S. Wells - I went to the Capitol this morning for Col. Broadheads. Argument as we wanted

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to send it to him for examination - and took Wilford up in the Dome and onto the Senate floor, and down in the engine rooms - Sent the argument by express to Col Broadhead - Recd letter from Sophia of July 16th all well - Bought Elizabeth a pair of eye glasses - Walked out to Greens Monument on Mass Ave -

Tuesday July 22/90. Warmer to day - got the 6 sacks of Mail matter from Takoma - also went to the B. & P. Freight depot for freight rates to Chattanooga \$106 per 100 lbs - Wrote to Joseph and Elizabeth Ann - Went with E & W. to the Methodist church on 8th St & N. C. Ave. S. E. this evening (p.56) to hear Miss Meseo Tsuni Hirati San, a Japanese lady speak. She is a graduate of the Maryland University and will soon go home as a Methodist Missionary. she speaks English very well. We spoke to her & shook hands with her -

Wednesday July 23rd/90. Busy in office putting up speeches & pamphlets for the Southern States Mission. on invitation of Bro Caine we went with him to Albaughs Opera House to night - "Pirates of Penzance".

Thursday July 24/90. We expected to go to Mt Vernon today as it is Pioneer-day, but it rained so we gave it up - wrote to Sophia, Leonard & Jas. L.

Bunting - Shipped 3 boxes of pamphlets to Bro. Wm Spry, at Chattanooga 425 lbs. \$540 cost - wrote some public letters - walked out in the evening -

Friday July 25/90 Busy in office putting up speeches &c for Southern States Mission - wrote some public letters - rained most all day - Wrote to Bro W. C. Spence for Railway arrangements to return home - Walked out this evening. Three years ago this evening Prest John Taylor died many changes have transpired since then - (p. 57)

Saturday July 26/90. Cloudy - Recd letter from Bro H. J. Grant - wrote some public letters and sacked up speeches for mailing - Went with E. & W. this

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afternoon to Fort Washington and visited the encampment of the District Militia- went through the Camp, saw the troops on drill & on dress parade, had a good time - returned on the "W. W. Corcoran" at 9 o'clock, a nice cool sail up the river.

Sunday July 27/90 quite warm. Recd letter from Mary. all well at home We attended the Memorial Lutheran Church this morning heard Rev. J. G. Butler, Chaplain of the Senate preach - This afternoon went to St. Mary's, New Church on 5th St. to see the ceremony of laying the Corner stone There was a large procession of Catholic Societies and three Bands paraded which we saw and afterwards got a good place to sit and see the ceremonies and hear the speeches - Bishop A. A Curtis of Mernington Del. & Rev. R. Preiss, A German Priest spoke. thousands of people present. In the evening we attended the Calvary Baptist Church on 8th & H. St- weather warm & Close -

Monday July 28/90 - Cloudy - light showers. very close - Recd a letter from (p. 58) Bro Wm Budge, and answered him. Agreed to give him \$40000 for his 3 Shares of Z. C. M. I. Stock because he asked that much - Went with Wilford to the Capitol took Col Broadheads argument to Mr Lafferty the stenographer - We went into the House Gallery and other parts of the Capitol rained all afternoon & night.

Tuesday July 29/90 Very warm- busy addressing & sacking Agricultural Reports for 1889- Wrote some public letters - Walked out with E & W. in the evening.

Wednesday July 30/90. Warm & close - Recd letter from Sophia July 24. all well - also from H. M. Wells for the 4th asst. on State Bank of Utah Stock, \$300.00, which I returned in a letter to Bro Jas. Jack - Wrote to Sophia and Mary. and addressed Reports -

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Thursday July 31/90. Hot & oppressive Ther 94° in shade - wrote some public letters - addressed Reports for Mailing - wrote to Prest Jos. F Smith - Walked out with E & W a short time -

Friday, August 1. 1890 Still very hot 97° in Shade this morning - came on to rain in afternoon - much cooler in evening - Finished addressing Reports - compared proofs of Col Broadheads argument with Bro Caine - Paid Mrs (p. 59) Winslow \$65.00 for July -

Saturday August 2/90 Elizabeth had a bad night with diarrheah - some better this morning - cooler - Recd tax notice from Kanab \$2.61 for 1890 Sent off Reports, also a sack of Mail to Bro. A. M. Musser at Historians office Salt Lake City - I bought 2 suits of clothes & hat, and Suit of clothes & hat for Wilford at Sax & Co. Walked out this evening.

Sunday August 3/90. Went to the Memorial Lutheran Church saw a baby christened - and attended the Sacrament Service much the same as the Episcopal. The Minister however breaks the bread and in administering the Communion takes from the plate. Rev J. G. Butler preached - we went to the Metropolitan Church in the evening where Dr. J. R. Newman used to preach - Very warm -

Monday Aug. 4/90 Election day at home. Recd letter from Bro. W. C Spence. Busy in Office packed a box of books for Bro Caine to send home - also a box of pamphlets for Bro Musser - quite warm today. Walked out with E & W this evening bought some clams took them to room & eat them there. The first raw clams that E & I ever ate. Wilford had some a few even(ings) ago.

Tuesday Aug 5/90 Weather cooler. this morning - wrote some public letters (p. 60) In the afternoon went with E & W to Oak Hill Cemetry in the Georgetown car enjoyed the ride, and walk through the Cemetry - Recd letter

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from Sophia all well except little Mary - Recd draft for Elizabeths Money
from Bro Jack \$50.00 Walked out this even(in)g a nice breeze blowing -
Wednesday, Aug 6/90. Quite warm. busy in office. Called on Mr Keysor a-
bout John's picture - and agreed to call on him tomorrow & have Elizabeths
& mine taken - Wrote some public letters also to Sophia - Recd letter from
Elizabeth Ann -

Thursday, Aug 7/90. Pleasant day - Went with E & W to Mr Keysors - had our
Photos taken at Mr. I. E Bishop's 905, Penn Ave and ordered one dozen of
each - wrote some public letters. addressed Col Broadheads' argument to
brethren at home & mailed them - Wrote to Bro Geo Reynolds & to Mary, Elea-
nor & Clara - walked out with E & W. -

Friday Aug 8/90 Some cooler this morning - walked out with E & W called
at Mr Keyser's saw the proofs of our Phot(o)s and decided on them - After-
wards went on Cars to Georgetown and by Coach to Arlington, had a good time
going through the Mansion, & grounds - got some flowers - had a shower of
rain - Saw 1 tomb stone under which lie the (p. 61) remains of 2111 unknown
Soldiers which were picked up on the battle fields in the late war - Recd
letter from Jas. Jack - wrote some public letters - rained this eve -

Saturday Aug 9/90. Walked out with W. to Riggs bank & to Mr Mertz. for
Elizabeth addressed Col Broadheads arguments to the Members of the Press -
quite warm today & busy in office - Rec letter from Jas L Bunting Kanab.
Walked out this eve(nin)g.

Sunday Aug 10/90 We attended St. James Protestant Episcopal Church on 8th N.E.
High Church - very much like the Catholic in the forms of worship &c - Attended the
Methodist Episcopal Church/^{South} on Mt Vernon Square in the evening - Recd letters from Mary &
Geo A- Bro Caine recd a telegram that his son James was in a critical con-

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dition from the effects of a blow on the head by a street highwayman at Salt Lake City - He telegraph(ed) to the Presidency about his going home to see his son -

Monday Aug 11/90. Quite cool last night & this morning - Bro Alonzo Young of Salt Lake City called this Morning. he arrived last night I took him around to the principle buildings & Monument & Capitol - He took dinner with us, and left on the 740 p m train B & P. for Chicago, Bro Caine & I. saw him off (p. 62)

Tuesday Aug. 12/90 - Cool again last night - Bro Caine received a telegram from Presidency - all right to go - His son is worse - He arranged to start home tonight - I got his sleeper berth ticket - called on Mr Keyser & ordered two pictures of myself - called on Mr Bishop and asked him to Keep the 2 negatives of E & myself - wrote some public letters - Recd letter from C W Stayner - Helped Bro. Caine to pack up - went with Bro Caine to the B & P depot and saw him off at 740 p m - Rec letter from Sophia - all well - took a walk with E. & W-

Wednesday Aug 13/90 Cool today - Rec letter from Pres Jos. F Smith - wrote to Sophia - to Elizabeth Ann - Mary & Bro Spence & Bro Stayner also some public letters - attended to matters in the office. Judge Carlton called and did some writing - walked out in Evening.

Thursday Aug 14/90. Cool & pleasant - Recd letter from C. W. Stayner - shipped box of pamphlets to Bro A. M Musser at Salt Lake City - Walked out with E & W. went with W to Mr G. W Davis on 7th St and had his likeness taken with a bisycle Wrote to C. W. Stayner - It rained very heavily this evening with thunder & lightning - (p. 63)

Friday Aug 15/90. A fine day - I paid Mr Graham for Bro Caine's boards &

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wrote on my journal - Walked out this evening -

Tuesday, Aug 19/90. A fine day - wrote on my journal. Judge Carlton called - wrote to C. A. C. - Recd letter from Eleanor with her photo - Walked out in evening -

Wednesday, Aug 20/90. Rained all morning - wrote on my journal. Judge Carlton called. nothing of importance going on in Congress - Wrote to Sophia & J. A. Cushing. (p. 65) Took a walk - It rained very heavy with thunder & lightning, commenced about 9 oclock - the Streets were flooded running over the side walks - stopped the street cars and put out the Electric lights. Water Knee deep on Penn Ave -

Thursday Aug 21/90. Cloudy & very close - Judge Carlton called, busy on my journal - attended to our mail - David H. Cannon came from New York and called on us this evening he took dinner - he had come on some business for Bro John W. Young. had attended to it & purposed returning tonight - We spent the evening in conversation very agreeably - he told me that Bro Brigham Young has been appointed to go to Liverpool to relieve Bro George Teasdale at the Liverpool Office & Presidency of the European Mission - We walked out a short time - he left by the 1120 p m train, they expect to start for home in a few days -

Friday Aug 22/90 Rained this Morning - Walked out with W awhile - wrote on my journal - Recd Receipt for \$400.00 paid by James Jack to Z. C M I. for the 3 shares of stock bought from Bro Wm Budge - a heavy wind storm this evening -

Saturday Aug 23/90 Went with E & W. on Steamer McAllister to Mt Vernon at 10 a m - a nice day - went through the Mansion and (p. 66) grounds. had our likeness taken - staid till 330 p m then went on Steamer to Marshal

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Hall and arrived home at 645 p m. having spent an enjoyable day - Recd letter from Bro Jas Jack enclosing a draft on C. B. Richards & Co New York #33619 for \$2210 from Z S. B & T. Co this being for wool sold by Henry Crane from 79 head of my sheep and taxes \$1.56 paid.

Sunday Aug 24/90. Very Cold last night & chilly this morning. We went to the 6th Presbyterian Church on 6th & C Streets S. W. and heard Rev Dr Hershey preach on the text "For of such is the Kingdom of God." we were much interested - In the afternoon we went to Georgetown on the Car - then by the Electric Car to Tennally town - walked up onto the heights and there found the ruins of Fort Reno & saw the locations of other Forts in the time of the late war for the protection of Washington - could see the sugar loaf peak of the Blue Ridge - attended a Camp Meeting of colored people and returned on the Cars - We attended the Services at Calvary Baptist Church in the evening Rev. R. S. McArthur preached on the text Isaiah 28 Chap 20 ver. he also referred to the 53 chapter of Isaiah & 5th Chapter of Romans, referred to the Bed of the Atheist - Church Members & Hyprocrite (p. 67) covering the Critic and procrastination - Recd letter from Joseph of Aug 20th

Monday Aug. 25/90. Cloudy, Judge Carlton called. wrote in my journal and busy in office - got my photos from Mr Bishop pd 200 also got Wilfords photos pd \$200 - After dinner E. W & myself went on Cars to 8th St on Penn Ave S E & walked to the New Bridge on Eastern Branch. The celebration ceremonies of the opening of the New Bridge were being had - Thousands of people were present - The bridge was handsomely decorated with flags &c & Electric lights - procession of troops, Cannon firing - speeches- Music by the Marine Band - Singing by a select choir- boat racing on the

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(sic)

river. fireworks. bonfires and barbacue (3 oxen roasted) & distributed with bread - We saw the troops and went onto the Bridge. also saw the boat racing and fireworks & heard the fine singing. It came on to rain very heavily which stopped the proceedings - we got some wet before getting on the Car. but enjoyed ourselves very much - Rec letter from Sophia all well on the 20th - The House of Reps. to day adopted the Conference report on the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill - which makes our land entries at Deseret good, as the bill confirms all entries made prior to the passage of this act - (p. 68)

Tuesday, Aug 26/90. Judge Carlton called and got the manuscript to have it typewritten, which I wrote on the 14th inst. Wrote on my journal - Wrote to George A. also to Mary, Eleanor, & Clara - Recd telegram from Bro Spence informing me that Bro. Caine left the City for Washington this morning. Via D. & R. G. Railway - We walked out this evening -

Wednesday, Aug 27, 1890. Cloudy - rained nearly all night - Wrote to Joseph and sent an order on Bro T. G. Webber. Sec of Z. C. M. I., for \$15000 on my Dividend a/c, also an order for Elizabeths dividend. also wrote to James Jack, also to Sophia - to Frest Geo. Teasdale at Liverpool - Engd & to Delos Staples in Mich. Walked out this evening -

Thursday, Aug 28/90. Recd letter from Joseph - also one from H. J. Grant with a report of the business of the State Bank of Utah up to last July - Elizabeth, Wilford & myself went to Mrs Fords at Takoma Park this afternoon at 1 oclock. had lunch & spent the afternoon in conversation & walking about, returned on the 6.20 p m train -

Friday, Aug 29/90. A fine day. In office during the morning. Went with (p. 69) E. & W. to the White House - there by Car to 8th St S E. & walked

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to the Congressional Cemetry - & through it, thence over the New Bridge on-
to the Maryland side of the Eastern Branch, then back on the Cars home.

Saturday, Aug 30/90 a cool wind blowing all day, busy in office - at 1.
o'clock Elizabeth, Wilford & Myself went to the White House and each shook
hands with the President of the United States (Benjamin Harrison - I was
very desirous that Wilford should have this privileges as he approached
the President "Said "Well my boy" and ^{on}/shaking his hand said "how do you do
my little man" He wished Ma good luck - Bro John T. Caine returned this
afternoon - Judge A. B. Carlton called and left a copy of the "National
Democrat" which contains an article he had written entitled "give the Mor-
mon's Fair Play" - It is a very good article. I spent the evening with
Bro Caine in conversation about home affairs &c -

Sunday Aug 31, 1890 E. W & myself attended the Lutheran Church, corner of
11th & H St this Morning heard Rev. Dr. Domer preach. At 4 p m we attended
the Congregational Church corner of 10th & G St & heard Rev R. S. McArthur
deliver a lecture Subject "The Story of the Huguenots". French Protestants
of the 16th Century with lessons for the American Protestants of to-day."
The house was crowded. We were very much interested in the lecture & les-
sons. he is a fine speaker (p. 70) We also attended the Calvary Baptist
Church this eve(n)ing & heard Rev McArthur preach on part of the 8th verse
of Hosea 7th Chap "Ephraim is a cake not turned."

Monday, September 1/90. Quite cool last night - Judge Carlton called Bro
Caine agreed to pay for 500 copies of the "National Democrat" - containing
his article - I also went and got 50 more copies which I address & sent to
the brethren at home & Presidents of Stakes &c - Recd letter from Sophia of
Aug. 26th all well - Put up some arguments &c & mailed them to Bro F. S.

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Richards. busy in office - Walked out this evening - Wrote to Geo. A. Shumway -

Tuesday, Sept 2/90. A fine day. busy in office. addressed & mailed more copies of the "National Democrat" to Missionaries in the Southern & Northern States Missions - also a number of Agricultural Reports to brethren in Utah - Wrote several public letters. and walked out in the evening with E & W. There is now talk of an adjournment of Congress from the 1st to 15th of October. By the home papers we learn that Judge Zane ruled in favor of John H Rumell Jr as Recorder for Salt Lake Co. The Liberals have tried hard to Keep him out of that office - Mrs Winslow & daughters returned this evening.

Wednesday Sept 3/90 Another fine day. I wrote some public letters. also (p. 71) addressed & mailed more newspapers. Judge Carlton called. "rote to Sophia, I paid Mrs Winslow \$6500 for Board & room rent for August. Walked out this evening -

Thursday Sept 4th 1890 A fine day. busy in office. wrote some public letters. Put up & mailed some reports from the Dept of Agriculture to Utah. Wrote to Bro. Geo Reynolds had a good walk this evening with E & W.

Friday Sept 5th/90. Very Warm this Morning. Busy in office. we walked out to Franklin Park for an hour. I did not feel very well. rested a while this afternoon. Wrote letter to the Presidency also some public letters. Recd letter from Joseph with Bank check for \$18000 also one from Bro Jas. Jack with check for \$5000 for Elizabeth. also one from Bro. W. C. Spence. & one from Bro Jas. A. Cushing. It came on to rain this afternoon with thunder & lightning.

Saturday. Sept 6/90. Clear & Cool this morning, busy in office - busy in

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office - (sic) Recd a registered letter from Joseph, of Aug. 30. with draft for \$50.00 for Elizabeth. I went out in the afternoon & bought a pair of Shoes \$259 also E. got some shoes for herself & Wilford - Wrote some public letters & walked out in the even(in)g Bro Caine got our checks Cashed (p.72)
Sunday, Sept 7, 1890, A very Warm Morning. E & W & myself attended Service at Church of the Ascension, Protestant Episcopal corner of Mass Ave & 12th st. and in the evening attended the Calvary Baptist Church & heard Revd Frank. R. Morse. D. D. preach on the text "For God so loved the World &c" and gave as analysis - Gods greatest act. Gods greatest love, Mans greates(t) effort & Man's greatest attainment. I rec a letter from Mr. L. J. Ellis of New York enclosing my pass from Richmond to New York the time extended to Nov 5/90. It rained this afternoon.

Monday Sept 8/90. a fine day. some cooler - busy in office making list of Names, for State Dept. to send reports of the Internal American Conference to. We walked out this evening.

Tuesday Sept 9./90. a fine Morning - busy on my list of names - Judge Carlton called - Recd letter from Sophia of Sep 3rd all well but babe & she some better. Walked out this afternoon and evening.

Wednesday, Sept 10/90. A fine day. busy. finished my list of names. Recd letter from Mary of Sept 3rd also my Tax Notices

Terr. Co. School & Co School	\$58.10
1st Dist School	15.25
19 " "	11.00
Provo City	20.37

\$104.72 (p. 73)

Recd letter from Delos Staples, Mich: about Blueberry plants. Walked out

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with E & W. We bought a trunk at Sax & Co \$875 E. Bought 5 suits of clothes for Wilford & Grand children. I bought suit for Willie \$5.50. Bro. C. W Stayner called. I had talk with him on Emigration matters as requested by letter from Bro. Spence. On his invitation Bro. Caine. E. W. & myself went to Harris Theatre. "Lillian Lewis" - He slept with Bro Caine - Thursday Sept 11/90. Rained last night & showers this morning. I had more talk with Bro. Stayner on general matters. he left for Baltimore at 1030. Busy in Office. I wrote several public letters. Wrote to Sophia and to Bro W. C. Spence. and walked out a short time this evening.

Friday Sept 12/90 Rained during the night & this morning Cloudy and very close & warm - I wrote to Joseph also to Bro. James Jack, and to Mary. Busy in office. Bro. Robt W. Morris of Salt Lake called. he is down from Boston arrived last evening. raining this evening.

Saturday Sept 13/90. Showery, some cooler - busy in addressing & Mailing some Public Documents - wrote some public letters. Bro Morris called. he leaves this evening - Walked out with S. & W. this evening - (p. 74)

Sunday Sept 14th 1890 Cloudy with Showers. We went to the 1st Baptist church 16th St. heard Revd Stakely preach on Text John 14th Chap 21 & 22 He referred to the 1s Chapter of Ezekiel & 4 Chapter of Revelations, some comentators compared Mathew, Mark Luke & John to the 4 Beasts &c. In our room during the afternoon - attended Services at the Calvary Baptist Church in the Evening heard Rev. Chas. H. Pendleton of Worcester, Mass preach - went home in the rain

Monday Sept 15/90. Cloudy & raining - Busy in office putting up & addressing books &c - Walked out with E & W. this afternoon. bought 12 cups for the Children & grand children paid \$11.82 for cups & \$110 for Marking names

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on them - enquired prices of table cutlery &c - We walked out again in the evening and saw the District Militia March on the Penn Ave with fireworks - Recd letters from G. A. Shumway & Elizabeth Ann. also a corrected tax notice for Utah Co. for 1890

Terr. School & County & County Schools. \$46.48

Dist School No 1 11.95

" " " 19. 8.80

Provo City 20.37
 \$87.50

Tuesday, Sept 16, 1890. Cloudy - Bros. Harry A Young, son of Lorenzo D. Young, & (p. 75) Willard Croxall called. they are going to School at Philadelphia & purpose staying here 2 or 3 days to see the sights. E. recd a letter from Joseph with Draft on New York for \$50.00 from Mary. Busy in office finished putting up Books & mailing them. Wrote to C. W. Stayner at Baltimore, & to J. S. Ogilvie, N. Y. last night, & sent \$1.00 for copy of "Palliser's American Architecture." I went to the Capitol this afternoon with Bros. Young & Croxall and Wilford, on the way we called at the Patent office. P O. Dept & Pension Bureau. Saw Ex. Gov West at the Capitol for the first time - Walked out this evening with E & W. and Saw a Military parade with fireworks on Penn Ave. on the return of the National Guards from Creedmore - Recd letter from Sophia, of 15th all well.

Wednesday Sept 17, 1890. A fine day. I went out with Bros. Young & Croxall to the Ford Theatre. Treasury & Monument & left them to go alone to see other places after putting them in the way. Rec letter from C. W. Stayner Wrote to Sophia. to Joseph, W C. Spence & Pres Jos. F. Smith. Recd letter from Bro Geo Reynolds this afternoon with draft on State Bank

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of Utah #9. for \$37.50 B B &. C. M. dividend. Took E & W to the New National Theatre this evening & saw the play "A Dark Secret" very good & sensational - The Edmunds officer bill #3823 was called up in Senate & went over today.

Thursday Sept 18th /90 Bros. Young & Croxall left for Baltimore this morning - busy in office sent telegram to Presidency in regard to press reports of utterance of Judge Anderson & Report of Utah Commission (p. 76) recommending further legislation against the Saints. I recd letter from C. W. Stayner. Purchased a doll for Leonora & E. purch(ased) other dolls for grand children - at 12 m. I took E. & W on train to Baltimore, also took 2 of the dolls with us so that Bro C. W. Stayner can take them home to Joseph. We arrived at 1245 M. having travelled nearly a mile a minute, 40 miles in 45 mins, without any stops. Bro Stayner met us & went with us to the Materniti (sic) Hospital 113 & 115 W. Lombard St. where we waited over an hour for Dr. S. H. Allen. Bro Stayner having arranged for our visit with him at my request. He came with Bros Young & Croxall. We went through the Hospital & Bro Allen explained considerable of affairs as they exist there Bro Stayner left us at the Hospital & took the dolls with him. E. W. & myself went on the Cars to Federal Hill & on to the Observatory, where we had a good view of the Bay - shipping & City - afterwhich we got some Oysters at a Restaurant - Bro Croxall did not feel well and asked us to administer to him. which we did, I being Mouth. Bro. C. W. S. S. H. Allen & H. A. Young assisting. There being a case of obstetrics coming on Dr Allen asked E. to remain & see them operate which we agreed to do. on invitation of Mrs Morgan the Matron we took supper at the Hospital. & Wilford & I walked out in the evening up Charles St. to Mt. Vernon Square

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where we saw the Washington Monument - a round shaft with a (p. 77) statue of Washington on the top. there were many fine buildings in this section. also, statuary on the grounds, &c. We passed by the Catholic Cathedral. & the finest Hotel in the City. "The Hibbert". The case came on after nine oclock & E was present. We left on the 10.20 p.m train Bros Allen & Young went with us to the depot & we arrived at home at 1130 p.m.

Friday Sept. 19, 189. (sic) Rec letter from C. W. Stayner, Went to see Judge Carlton this morning to inform his fri(e)nds in the Senate that the Platt Bill to defranchise the Mormons may be called up this morning in the Senate obtained \$12500 for Bro Stayner at his request at Mayes & Co Bankers 9th St & sent it with a letter by express to Bro. Stayner. I bought 2 sets of Table Cutlery at Harris & Co. 7th St for Elizabeth & Sophia, each. wrote some public letters. The Platt bill S 3480. "Test oath" was called on the Calendar to day in the Senate & went over on objection of Senator Voorhees. We walked out this evening.

Saturday Sept 20/90. Quite cool to-day. busy in office addressing documents for mailing to Utah. Called on Mr Keyser this afternoon & examined the pictures of Myself & Elizabeth suggested some slight changes - Judge Carlton called. Mailed letters to C. W. Stayner Went with E & W. to the White House grounds & heard the Marine Band play - then walked down Penn Ave. bought some neck ties for the boys & a new hat for myself \$2.00 (p. 76)

Sunday Sept 21st 1890. a fine day. Bro Heber J. Grant & Miss Winters came over from New York this Morning early Bro. Caine met them at the depot he having recd a telegram last night of their coming I was very glad to meet Bro Grant after breakfast. Bro. Caine sent for a Carriage & he with Bro. Grant, Miss Winters Elizabeth & Wilford went for a drive -

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I attended the Calvary Baptist Church & heard the Pastor Revd Dr. Green preach on text 4 Chapter of John 32 ver. spent the afternoon in conversation and in the evening we went on the Electric Car to the Catholic University & walked out awhile - Bro. Caine & myself saw Bro. Grant & Miss Winters off for New York on the 10 p. m. train Recd letter from Joseph and one from Bro W. C. Spence.

Monday, Sept. 22, 1890. A fine day. Busy in office wrote some public letters. Called on Mr Keyser and got pictures, paid him \$50.00 had them packed & boxed. 1.00 Recd letter from Sophia of Sept 17th all well - I sent the box of pictures to my son Joseph, by Adams Express. this evening \$3.25 Walked out this evening.

Tuesday Sept 23rd 1890 Cloudy & warm - Wrote to Bro W. C. Spence & to Joseph Rec letter from C. W. Stayner. Walked out with E & W to the Agricultural Dept. called on Mr Sanders for Lilly seeds he (p. 79) had none. I called on Mr Farnow Chief of the Forestry Div. & had a good talk with him on Tree Culture &c We went to the Fish Ponds. & home Walked out in the evening -

Wednesday Sept 24, 1890. I wrote some public letters - This afternoon I went with E & W to the Public Printing Building & we went all through it in each department. which was very interesting - after which we attended services at the Hebrew Synagogue on 8th St. on the occasion of Fast on the day of Atonement. The Fast and services commenced at 630 on last evening and concluded at 6.00 this evening. the services being continuous. We saw the rolls containing the Book or laws of Moses, also the Holy of Holies - and at the conclusion of the services the blowing of the Shofar - (sic) a horn - I have not been feeling very well for a few days. being cold.

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& like Malaria. -

Thursday Sept 25, 1890 Very Cold last night & this morning early. We received a telegram from Prest Woodruff containing a declaration or manifesto from him in regard to recent report of the Utah Commission on the subject of Polygamous Marriages & of the preaching of that doctrine by the Church Authorities, in which he denies their statements and declares himself as willing to obey the laws of the nation on that subject & to advise the members of the church to do likewise. &c Bro Caine made arrangements to Have (p. 80) the declaration or manifesto published in the "Evening Star" & "Critic". and to have it printed in a Circular letter or pamphlet for distribution to the President, Cabinet, Senate & House of Reps & other leading Men - Busy in office all day walked out in the evening -

Friday, Sept 26, 1890. A fine day, busy in sending circular letters to Members of Congress &c 1000 letters having been printed. a good article from the pen of Capt John Codman is printed in the "National Democrat" on the Mormon question - Judge Carlton called. I walked out a short time this afternoon for a rest. also again in the even(in)g to the House of Reps. with E & W. The House in session. The Tariff bill was reported to the House today from the conferen(ce). Comty Bro. F. J. Cannon & wife & R. K. Thomas & wife arrived this evening.

Saturday. Sept 27/90. Cloudy - Very busy in office. called at "National Democrat" office & got some of their papers. & handed them lists of Members of Congress to send the paper to, Folded & address 50 papers & sent off a large number of the Manifestos Recd letters from Sophia. all well at home on 22nd also from Leonard. Pres & Jos. F. Smith, & Son Joseph. walked out this evening & bought Wilford an overcoat. Bro F. J. Cannon called this

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morning. & Bro Thomas & wife this afternoon. I arra(n)ged to ride out with them tomorrow. to Arlington & take E & W (p. 81) E & I sent a telegram empowering Bro S J Sudbury to vote our stock at Equitable Coop Meeting Sept 29/90.

Sunday, Sept 28th 1890. Quite Cool to-day, Called on Bro. & Sister Thomas at the Ebbitt also Met Bro & Sister Frank J. Cannon. We drove out to Arlington with Bro & Sister Thomas & had a pleasant time. In the afternoon I packed our trunks - Bro Caine. Bro & Sister Thomas - E. W & myself attended the Shilo Baptist Church (colored)/(sic) this evening & heard Mr Johnson preach a good practical Sermon. The enthusiasm of the Colored people was made manifest several times. I recd letter from Bro James Jack with a draft of Zions Savings Bank for \$73.75 sent for my - traveling expenses home. \$100.00 having been appropriated by the Presidency for that purpose & the balance taken out for my ticket from Chicago home. Also a letter from Bro W. C. Spence containing my Railway ticket from Chicago & instructions as to my ticket from New York. I had an interview with Mr W. T. Hinman. Cor. of Cleveland Leader on Utah & Prest Woodruff manifesto.

Monday Sept 29, 1890 Busy in office addressing & sending off Manifesto Got & paid for my table Cutlery \$58.00 bought an overcoat for Willie & hat for Wilford - Cashed my check - Walked out with E & W this eveni(n)g. also Wrote to Sophia & James Jack and some public letters - (p. 82)

Tuesday, Sept 30, 1890. Quite Cool. Busy all day in office addressing & mailing "Manifestos". &c- also fixing to get ready to start home. we walked out this evening - wrote some public letters.

Wednesday, October 1st 1890. Recd letter from Prest Jos. F. Smith. Busy packing up in office Recd letter from Bro. W. C. Spence with draft of Z. S

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Bank for \$6.00 Congress adjourned this evening at 6 Oclock without passing any innical legislation against the Saints of God. so we feel free again, for a season at least. C & W & mys- (sic) walked out this evening. I wrote to Delos Staples, Mich.

Thursday, October 2nd 1890. Rained most all day. very disagreeable. Busy straightening up in office - and making a few purchases - Bro Frank J. Cannon called also Judge Carlton. We packed our remaining trunk tonight. Wrote to Bro W. C Spence. F. J Cannon went to N. Y

Friday, Oct. 3rd 1890. Clear & pleasant. busy in office. Made enquiry in regard to the Old Dominion Steamship Cos. boats at Mr Hawleys & B & O Ticket Office. not satisfactory. This afternoon went to the Steamboat Wharf and learned that we could leave on the "Jane Moseley" on Sunday evening at 5 oclock and connect (p. 83) with the Old Dominion Steamship on Monday Morning at Norfolk so as to leave in the afternoon for New York, and expect to land at New York on Tuesday afternoon at 4 oclock. We also saw two large Sea Cows. one weighing 800 lbs & the other some smaller. they are a peculiar sea beast. they live on vegetation & have a nose and mouth like a cow. I wrote several public letters. Walked out this evening..

Saturday October 5th 1890. Very busy packing up our personal effects also the office affairs. Took E. & W to Harveys and we had an oyster lunch. I called on Mr. Keyser, and arranged with Hawleys Express to take our trunks to the steamer. This evening we went to Paynes exhibition of the destruction of Pomphia and had good seats. was well satisfied.

Sunday. October 5, 1890. Bought bottle of perfume at Mertz. Helped Bro. Caine pack his trunk. He left by the 10⁵⁰ a m train for Chicago - Frank J Cannon called and I went with him to his room to decipher a telegram recd

from Pres Woodruff to leave our cipher book with Bro Cannon. this we had already done. I settled with Mrs. Winslow to date & paid her \$7585 for Room & Board. At 330 we bade adieu to the folks at the house (p. 84) and took the cars to the Steamer went on board the "Jane Moseley" had our baggage checked and state room secured paid \$600. Left the wharf at 5 p m. Wilford asked me to go aft with him, and as the steamer moved from the Wharf he turned his face to Washington & said "Good bye old Washington". We sat up viewing the objects of interest on the river, passing Mt Vernon, and went to bed about 9 oclock.

Monday Oct 6/90. This is the 61st Semi-annual conference of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. We arose about 6 a.m and saw a beautiful sunrise on the ocean at the Mouth of the Chesapeake Bay. We passed some light houses and some sailing vessels - passed close to Fortress Monroe and stopped at Old Point Comfort. had breakfast on the boat - and thence to Norfolk through the Hampton Roads. saw a great many boats & men dredging for oysters - arrived at 9. a.m. 200 miles arranged about our luggage and baggage and took a walk up town. Visited St Pauls Episcopal Church 150 years old. said to be the oldest church in that section of country. We sat in a chair formerly owned by John Hancock. The Sextons wife made several explanations & showed us a cannon ball set in the wall which was fired from an English ship in the Revolutionary War. We got some (p. 85) Magnolia Seeds. We took a further walk & back to the Steamer. We got our trunks &c to the Old Dominion Wharf & secured our berth. then had some fresh oysters. Crossed on the ferry boat to Portsmouth then by Street Car to the Navy Yard. Where we went on board the Man of War (Steel Cruiser) "Atlanta". A man was sent with us to explain her guns &c she carries 300 officers & men - 2 eight inch guns. 4 six inch

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guns and several smaller ones. We went all through the ship - Thence to the Monitor "Amphitrite" - By direction we hailed the Man of War "Franklin" laying out in the river, a man came with a boat and took us on board. This was the first small boat that Elizabeth and Wilford had sailed in. The "Franklin" was Admiral Farraguts flag Ship. and is the ship in which Boss Tweed was brought from France. we saw his room The commander sent the Chief of Music to show us through the Ship & he explained all about her. she was built at N. H. Launched 1865. length 270 ft. beam 54 ft. draught 25 ft. tonaage (sic) 3173. displacement 5162 tons. Horse power 2000. speed 10 Knots Battery 1 - 11 in smooth bore. 38 - 9 inch smooth bore - 4,100 pounds rifles. Full complement officers 32. Crew 650. She is now used as a training ship. We saw her prison rooms. and was taken to shore again in the boat. We saw the New Cruiser "Texas" on the stocks. also another large cruiser. We then went on the car all through the city of Portsmouth (p. 86). We saw a large Needle Monument erected, "In honor of our Confederate dead". Thence by ferry to Norfolk. Where we got our dinner. Afterwards took the street car to Babylon then through the centre & to the West end. bought a rubber doll & some Candy & nuts. We then went on board the S. Steamer "Guyandotte" 2354 tons. Captain Walker. We saw the men loading freight and at 830 p m. we left the Wharf & sailed out. We had Saloon berth No 6. had supper. sat up looking at the lights &c on the Shore. passed by Fortress Monroe. the Rip Rap, &c passed out onto the Ocean & went to bed.

Tuesday October 7, 1890 A beautiful morning. arose before 6 Oclock. Saw the Sun rise out on the Atlantic Ocean. passed several sailing vessels and steamers all of which was new and novel to Wilford. he was so excited at

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times he could not be still. We enjoyed a good breakfast. about 1030 the weather became heavy, and Ma & Wilford began to feel the motion of the steamer and they were soon quite sea sick and went to lay down. About 12.30 we sighted Atlantic City and the wind soon after raised & it came on to rain. I was soon after down with sea sickness and continued so until after 6 oclock. The sea was very rough and most of the passengers were sick. a very few being ready for dinner at 2 p m. I got out when the sea subsided so as to see Barnajat light and Sandy Hook lights and the Doctor came to the Ship at Quarantine. Also to see the lights on the (p. 87) Brooklyn Bridge & the Statue of Liberty. As E & W were so weak I obtained permission of the Purser for us to occupy our State room until morning. This was very opportune as we did not get into dock until 930 p m. We eat some bread & butter & crakers (sic) drank some tea & went to bed. about 350 miles from Norfolk.

Wednesday, October 8/90 We all felt better this morning, and very hungry. although we were disturbed during the night by the noise of the men unloading the steamer as they commenced about 10 Oclock last night. I checked our trunks to the Erie Railway Depot & we all went there and I arranged to leave our Satchels & c until called for. so we were then quite free. We got our breakfast on Fulton St at a French Restaurant. & I engaged a room at the "Belmont" House in Fulton St. We then went on the Broadway Car to Central Park. I hired a coach and we drove through the Park Saw the principle sights. Water Reservoir. Cleopatra's Needle & c 9 miles of a drive. then to the Zoological grounds & saw the animals, birds & c. Took the 5th Avenue Car so as to see the fine residences of the Vanderbilts & others. and got off at 23rd St went to the Eden Musée, and afterwards got lunch. then went to 14th St and into several stores. I called at the Erie Railway office corner of 23rd & Broadway and got mine &

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Wilfords tickets to Chicago \$1800 & \$900 and concluded to leave New York at 3 p.m tomorrow. We then took (p. 88) the elevated road to Brooklyn Bridge and crossed the bridge on the railway - thence to Greenwood Cemetery on the elevated railway. Walked through a part of the Cemetery so as to get a general idea of the whole and returned by Street Car to Fulton ferry and crossed on the ferry boat. stopped at Fulton Market and had an oyster supper. Went to our room. In the evening took a walk returned & went to bed rather tired.

Thursday October 9th 1890. Arose much rested and got our breakfast. Walked up Wall Street saw the Stock Exchange building. U. S. Treasury & other public buildings on this noted street. to Trinity Church walked through the grounds and into the Church where church service was being held by 3 women and 1 man besides the Officiating Minister. Thence down Broadway to Castle Garden & through the building, which is not now used for the Emigrants. a very large building a little further East being now used by the Government for Emigrants. We then went on the Steamboat for Bedloe's Island & the Statue of Liberty. on arrival we walked up the inside to the feet of the figure about half the height. Elizabeth could not go any higher the steps were so narrow and steep. Wilford & I went up into the head and also up the Arm to the hand and light. We picked up some (p. 89) shells on the shore & returned. Took the elevated road up Greenwich Street to the docks of the Ocean Steamers and went on board of the S. S. "Nevada" of the Guion line so that Ma & Wilford could see what Ocean Steamers are like. We then took car to 14th St. where Ma bought some fur capes for the girls at R. H. Macy & Cos on 6th Ave & 13 & 14th Streets. This is a large establishment . sell everything. has a restaurant where customers can set & take their lunch. Took Broadway car to Vesey St. to Washington Market got our dinner

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of fresh oysters. and then to the Erie depot. Got our trunks checked through to Provo had 60 lbs overweight but they passed all right. We left on the ferry boat at 255 and on arrival at Jersey City, onto the train & left at 315 p m for Chicago passing over a country quite new to me. via "Salamanca and Marion" on the Lake Erie & Western Railroad.

Friday October 10/90 Arose this morning. rolling along. travelled through the State of New York and to day through Ohio near to Kirtland. At Lima we saw a great many oil wells, some in successful operation, but several idle. also across Indiana on the Chicago & Atlantic Railway from Marion. Arrived at Chicago at 9 p.m. &c we put our Satchels &c in the Depot. bought some fruit. We left by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa fe route for Kansas City at 1130 pm. & soon went to bed. (p. 90)

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Saturday October 11/90 We arose early passing through Illinois and arrived at Kansas City, Mo. at 630 p.m. 458 miles. Had supper at the Union Hotel. transfered our things onto another train for Pueblo. Sent the following telegram to Bro Jas Jack. "Tell Son Joseph inform girls due Provo Tuesday morning Denver train." Left for Pueblo at 935 p.m & went to bed.

Sunday October 12. 1890. Passing through Kansas. From Kansas City I had to pay 1/2 fare for Wilford \$10.67 to Pueblo. Passed through Eastern Colorado. arrived at Pueblo at 1130 p.m 635 miles. changed cars & left by the D. & R. G. Ry at 130 am & went to bed.

Monday October 13. 1890 Arose early. had a beautiful view of the mountains & road climbing to Marshall pass. here it was snowing & very cold. it was said the ther. was 25° below zero this morning but this was very doubtful. also down on the other side. Breakfast at Salida. Dinner at Gunnison &

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Supper at Grand Junction where we arrived at 630 pm. & changed cars from the narrow gage to the broad gage D& R F Western Ry. We saw the ground scenery of the Black Canyon. needles mountains & several miles along the banks of the grand river saw some wild Elk. Left at 715 pm & soon went to bed.

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Tuesday October 14, 1890 As the train should arrive at Provo about 7 oclock I deemed it proper to get off at Mile Fork at 5 a.m. I did so in a snow storm and did not find a place to stop at until about 6 oclock when I went to Bro John Beagleys & staid with him & family all day until 5 p.m. when I got on the train and arrived at Provo at 610 555 miles from Pueblo and soon got home. my sons Joseph & George & Geo A Shumway went to meet me but we missed each other. I found our children all well. Joseph having come down last night. Ma & Wilford arrived all right this morning. I felt glad to be at home once more as I had not been there since last Christmas.

Wednesday October 15, 1890 I had a good nights rest & arose rather late. I opened our trunks and assorted our things. & spent the day with my family. Elizabeth Ann & children also being with us. I have not been feeling very well for the past 2 weeks, my blood being somewhat out of order. I sent & got some medicine. This evening I rode out with George & wife and Mary for an hour.

Thursday October 16/90 Spent the day in the house with the folks Ma attended the funeral services of sister Johnson, wife of Bp J. P R Johnson at 2 p.m.
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This evening Geo A Shumway came with team/and wagon and Ma, Wilford, Leonara & myself went with him to his place over the river. where we staid all night.

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Friday October 17. 1890 I arose much rested. After breakfast I walked out

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with G A. Shumway over my land purchases & also over his land. Joseph came this morning & we spent the day quite agreeably. This evening Joseph informed me that he would like to take my farm and work it next year which I consented to. Had my hair cut. at 6⁴⁵ pm G. A. Shumway having taken myself and Joseph in his wagon to the platform we boarded the D & R G train and arrived at Salt Lake City at 8³⁰ pm. and walked to Leonards. He & Thomas had gone to meet us but we missed each other. found all well.

Saturday October 18/90 Spent a good night. and through the day in the house Thomas called this evening. Bro Jas McHenry at my request through Joseph called for me with a carriage and with Joseph drove to Sophias. found her & children all well.

Sunday October 19/90 Spent the day in conversation & reading. also seeing the children so pleased with the few little presents I had brought them. Sister Francis called and I saw her a few minutes (p. 93) this evening. I went to the Gardo House and was greeted kindly by Bro Sudbury & wife. I slept in the same bed & room as before I left for the East.

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Monday October 20/90 Arose refreshed & feeling well. met Bro Geo Reynolds also Pres Jos J Smith this morning and after breakfast Pres W. Woodruff who all greeted me very Kindly and expressed themselves as pleased to again meet me. Pres Geo Q. Cannon came in afterwards & seemed glad to see me. I met several of the brethrn Bro H. J. Grant. Bp H. B Clawson. C H Wilcken with whom I had a talk - James Jack who handed me a check for \$3000 Dividend on Coop Wagon Company also \$1250 wool money from Bro Parker who has some of my sheep. Bro Reynolds handed me a check for \$3750 #121 Oct 8/90 Div. of B B & C M CO. Bro Walter Hoge from Liverpool called & I had some conversation with

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him. also with Bro James Emmitt of Kanab. just up from Mexico. Prest Geo Q Cannon called Bro Reynolds and myself into the parlor and defined our labors as agreed upon by the Presidency. I will take my position same as before I went East. whilst Bro Reynolds will attend to answering correspondence and such (p. 94) other matters as will keep him employed. I walked down to Leonards this evening and met Elizabeth she came upon the Denver train. Joseph met her at the depot. She distributed the presents we had brought for our grand children. I arranged today with Bro Rossiter for 1 ton of coal for Sophia. I also met Bro C. D. Fjeldsted who recently returned from the Scandinavian mission.

Tuesday October 21st 1890 I spent the day at Leonards with Elizabeth & family have taken some cold. got Marys watch repaired. This evening Elizabeth & Joseph walked with me to the Gardo and they returned on the car. I met Bro F. M. Lyman who expressed his pleasure at meeting me again. we had some conversation on political affairs. after I went to bed Bro Angus M. Cannon came to bed with me he has been away but makes the Gardo his home for the present.

Wednesday October 22. 1890 The presidency at the office. I attended to my duties at the Presidents table. 31 letters were received & 44 Recommends signed The Board of Directors of the Inland Salt Company (p. 95) met and talked about issuing bonds to raise money to pay off debts. adjourned till tomorrow. Directors of Zions Savings Bank met at 1 p m & transacted the business before the meeting. It is urged that the building be finished—I met Bro Franklin D Richards who is enjoying good health. He & Bro Jacques submitted the Statistics of Religious bodies or Ward & Stake organizations of the Church as required by the U. S. Supt of Census. which were approved Bro Frank J. Cannon arrived from Washington this morning and called I had

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a little talk with him.

Thursday, October 23rd, 1890 The Presidency at the office. 23 letters received and 52 recommends signed. Bro Wm Wallen and wife Eliza Ann were recommended to receive their 2nd anointing & approved by Pres Woodruff—at a meeting of the Inland Salt Company this morning it was decided to offer \$20000 in the Company Bonds to liquidate a debt of the company to Zions Savings Bank of some \$16000 & Bro Jack was requested to attend to this matter. I assisted Pres Woodruff & Smith on consecrating a bottle of oil for Pres Woodruff's daughter Susan C Scholes who lives in Iowa. I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency and apostles at 2 p.m. where it was decided that Pres Woodruff will attend (p. 96) the Box Elder & Pres Geo Q Cannon the Oneida Stake Conference next Sunday & Monday—The report of M. N. Stone Special Commissioner to examine into the reports & conduct of F. H. Dyer as Receiver in the Church Suit was filed in the Territorial Supreme Court & published in the papers.

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Friday October 24, 1890 The Presidency at the office. 18 letters received and 38 recommends signed A letter was recd from Attys F. S. Richards & Le-Grand Young in regard to the title of the Temple Block at Independence, Mo. now owned by the Hedrickites. This letter was referred to Bro John M. Cannon to answer Wm Hall. it appearing there are some doubts as to the legality of the title to the lands in question. I met Bro John T. Caine at the office today & got the small parcel he brought for me by Joseph going to his house for it.—\$5000 worth of tickets were purchased by Pres Woodruff for distribution to Mr Chas Ellis lecture in the Theatre next monday night.—Bro Chas O Card called & an appropriation of \$50000 was made to pay for rental &

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Fencing of church land at Cardston Canada—I attended a meeting of the Stockholders of the Salt Lake & Deseret Manufacturing & Canal Co at the Gardo at 5 pm. at which meeting the Stock of the company was divided per water ^{share} to the Stockholders being 10000 shares at \$500 each and an assessment of \$2.50/per ^(p. 97) share was made to pay off the indebtedness & carry the ~~water~~ to each 40 acre subdivision of land in the Townsite entry. This will give each Share holder of a section of land $416 \frac{2}{3}$ shares. which at \$250 pershare makes \$104000 the previous assessments having been \$87500 - \$50000 of which I owe yet. These assessments and the Government price of the land will make a cost of \$4.25 per acre. Presidents Woodruff & Smith left this evening for their homes.

Saturday October 25, 1890 Pres Geo. Q. Cannon at the office. 18 letters received and 32 recommends signed. A telegram was received from Prest. Wm. Budge at Paris Idaho. "Just received advises from U. S. attorney Wood, Boise, that no person now under arrest will be called for until further notice." This relieves the Idaho question—Pres Geo Q Cannon had an interview with Bro John W. Hess on Davis County Elections Matters. Prests Woodruff & Cannon left by the 5 pm train for Brigham City & Franklin respectively—after supper I went to Sophias found her sick with the toothache & Mary quite unwell. Bro Jack handed me certificate for 3 shares of Coop Stock bought From Bro Wm Budge.

Sunday Oct 26th 1890 Spent the day in conversation & reading & with the children & returned to the Gardo this evening - where I met (p. 98) Pres Jos. F. Smith. we spent an hour or more in conversation.

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Monday, October 27th 1890 Prest Smith at the office. 14 letters were received and 19 recommends signed. By letter from Elder Brigham Young at Liverpool we learn that he wants more Elders as missionaries Bro Wm. C. Spence

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returned from California on Saturday evening and called this morning & reported his labors which were successful in obtaining good rates for our Elders to the Sandwich Islands, Samoa & New Zealand I had some talk with him and he took my receipts for money paid on fares on my return home to collect some rebate. He also said he could obtain a pass for Elizabeth to come up whenever I wanted one. Pres Woodruff returned this evening.

Tuesday October 28/90 Prests Woodruff & Smith at the office. 19 letters red & 26 recommends signed. I attended to the office business - Had an interview with Bro Joel Johnson of Kanab. he is now the Bishop there I talked on Kanab matters and related to him my Water affairs at Kanab and of how the irrigation company had treated me in selling my (p. 99) Water Shares & c and of Pres Woodruffs endorsement of my letter to leave my affairs alone. He thought that could be made all right now as new men were in the Board He felt well towards me and my labors. Pres Geo Q Cannon returned from the north this evening.

Wednesday, October 29, 1890 The Presidency at the office. 17 letters received and 21 recommends signed. I received a letter from Eleanor of the 28th Elizabeth & Clara have been unwell but are now better. Wm Dodd had made an offer to rent 150 feet front of my lot for \$15000 per year for 3 years for a Lumber yard. I consulted with my son Joseph & purposed sending him to Provo to talk the matter over but concluded it was as well to write which I did to Ma. I did not feel to rent at the figure so much land. Rec a letter from C A C. Bro Jas Jack handed me my tax receipts from Provo as follows for 1890.

Terr Co & School tax

46.48

1st Dist School tax

11.95

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19th Dist School Tax

4.40

Provo City Tax

20.37

\$83.20

Pres Wm Budge called. I attended meeting of the Board of Directors of Zions Savings Bank at 1 pm (p. 100) The Sugar company elected new Directors as follows Geo Q Cannon, John Beck, Moses Thatcher, A.E. Hyde James Chipman, A.O. Smoot, Thos R. Cutler, Elias Morris, Arthur Stayner James Jack, Heber J Grant, Frank Armstrong & L.G. Hardy. Joseph H. Dean called. It was deemed best that he do not give himself up to the courts at present. Apostles M Thatcher & F.M. Lyman called. I have been trying to find out how much taxes there are due on Sophias lost. Bro Woodruff granted a divorce to John Irvine & his wife Jemima Lunt Irvine I sat up with Pres Jos F. Smith in conversating until 1130 p.m.

Thursday, October 30, 1890 The Presidency at the office 18 letters were received and 34 recommends signed. Pres Geo Q. Cannon went to Ogden to attend the funeral services of Thos K. Little son of Jesse C Little & his former wife Emily on the 130 p.m. train. I attended the usual Prayer meeting of the Presidency and apostles at 2 p.m. I met Bro John W. Taylor there. also Bro Daniel H. Wells. I afterwards had some conversation with Bro Wells on Temple and personal affairs. This evening I called on Sister Barratt & her son (p. 101) Samuel & spent two & 1/2 hours in agreeable conversation. I wrote some personal letters for Pres Woodruff.

Friday October 31/90. The Presidency at the office. 13 letters received & 18 recommends signed. Red letter from Elizabeth of the 30th all well at home Wm Dodds did not take my offer to rent him a part of my city lot. I met Bros Preston Burton & Winder this morning at the office. and attended to the office

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work--Elder John W. Young proffered the use of his car to prest Woodruff & party when they go to Mexico, or elsewhere. it is a narrow gage car but he will have broadgage trucks put under it. and it is nicely fitted up inside. His offer was accepted should it be needed. I wrote to C.A.C. Joseph accompanied me to the Theatre this evening to see "Cinderella" or the Crystal Slipper. Pres Woodruff offered me the use of his box.

Saturday November 1. 1890 This is the 82nd anniversary of President John Taylor's birth. He was born Nov 1st 1808. The Presidency left the office last evening and I am alone attending to the office duties. 14 letters and 9 recommends receite(d) I handed to James Jack \$2000 of money sent me to Washington (p. 102) for my expenses home & not used by me. Had some conversating with Bro W.C. Spence on Emigration matters. I left this evening & went to S_____ The family of Pres Taylor met to celebrate his birthday. Sophia & children attended also Prest. W. Woodruff & Geo Q Camon.

Sunday Nov 2/90 Spent the day in reading & conversation & returned to the Gardo this evening & found Prest Joseph F. Smith there. Mr Chas Ellis Lectured in the Theatre this evening on the Utah Liberals. Bro Wm Milles died this evening. he was born July 5, 1814 in England.

Monday Nov 3/90 The Presidency at the office. 27 letters were recd - and 42 recommends signed. The following telegram to Pres Woodruff was recd from Washington DC. dated Nov 1/90 Attorney General has telegraphed District attorney Idaho his suggestions that Idaho prosecutions might be postponed if public interests would not suffer. wire this information to attorney in Idaho. I.M. Wilson. Bro Wm Budge was notified by telegram. I received notice from L.G. Hardy Secretary (p. 103) of the Deseret Salt Lake Agr & Mnf. Canal company of the assessment no 6. amounting to \$1042.50 due Dec 1st

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1890 also of \$500.00 due on Asst. No. 4. Pres Jos F. Smith & myself attended the Grand Rally of the Peoples Party at the Theatre this evening. being seated in Pres Woodruffs box. Part of the proceedings went slow but a good time was had and was much appreciated. The speakers were Hon F. S. Richards Hon John T Caine. Jos W. Summerhays. J. H. Paul. Frank J. Cannon & S a Kinner.

Tuesday. Nov 4. 1890. The Presidency at the office. Pres Woodruff suffering from a severe cold in his lungs. 13 letters were received and 20 recommends signed. This is the Delegate Election day and everything passed of very quietly. It was decided that the seating of the choir (?) and the stands be changed in the Large Tabernacle. S. R. Thurman was set apart for his mission to Gt. Britain by Prests Cannon & Smith. Pres Smith mouth. Elder Angus T. Wright late President of the New Zealand Mission he having returned on Sunday evening last from his mission called & reported his labors I paid the city taxes for Sophias property today \$32⁶⁴ (p. 104) through Bro James Jack and arranged with him to pay the Terr. Co. & School taxes \$47⁰³. Bro W. C. Spence obtained for Elizabeth & Wilford a pass on the D & R G W Ry. to come to this city & return. I wrote to Elizabeth and sent her the pass also the receipt for Provo City Street tax paid by George. requesting that application be made to the city collector for the amount as I had paid it in cash.

Wednesday Nov 5. 1890 Prest Woodruff is quite unwell with his cold but some better than he was yesterday. he remained at home today. Pres Geo Q Cannon & Jos. F Smith at the office - 17 letters were received and 32 recommends signed. Arrangements were made to assist the Saints in Star Valley, Wyoming to the balance of the 3000 bushell of wheat appropriated for them last spring they having lost their crops by frost. I attended the usual meeting of the Board of Directors of Z S B & T Co at 1 pm & was appointed Secretary pro tem for the meeting Bro Reynolds being absent. Bro T Shetler expects to pay

a divide (n)d of 6% by December 31/90. The matter of the Deseret Hospital was spoken of by Sister Jane T. Richards & Bp H.B. Clawson Sister R. complains of Dr. R.B. Pratt assuming to run the whole affair & the Board being ignored she wants to be released (p. 105) from the Board. It was expected that a meeting of the Board will be called soon & matters may be then attended to. The funeral services of the late Wm Willes were held at the Assembly Hall at 2 p.m. Pres Geo Q. Cannon attended. I had some talk with Bro H. Schettler on Zions Bank affairs. Bro John W. Young purposes starting for Chihuahua tomorrow morning to be gone 10 days. I sent my regards to Bp W D Johnson Jr & family. I called at Bro Joseph Watsons this evening & spent a couple of hours with him & wife. Sophia also present in conversation.

Thursday. Nov 6th. 1890 Prests Geo Q. Cannon & Jos F. Smith at the office. Prest Woodruff still at his home but some better of his cold. 20 letters were received and 20 recommends signed. I attended to our mail matter & answered some public letters. I attended the usual Prayer meeting of the Presidency and Apostles at 2 p.m. at the Gardo House office. met Bro Lorenzo Snow who came down from Brigham this morning & called. he is enjoying good health & spirits. It has been threatening for a storm the past 2 days but now seems to be clearing up again. (p. 106)

Friday Nov. 7. 1890 Prest Geo Q. Cannon & Jos F. Smith at the office. Pres Woodruff some better but deemed it best not to come to the office today 22 letters were received & 45 recommends signed. I attended to the mail and answered some public letters. Bro William Taylor Brother of the late Pres Taylor called today. I was pleased to see him. I signed a Procy for Bp John P.R. Johnson as my attorney and agent to vote as my proxy at the Special meeting of the Stockholders of the Provo Woolen Mills Co. to be held

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in the meeting House. Provo on the 10th day of November, 1890. at 1 p.m. to change or recapitalize the Stock of the company. I went down to Leonards accompanied by Joseph this evening and there met Elizabeth & Wilford when they came up on the evening D & R G train. I was pleased to meet them as it is Wilfords first visit since his return from the East. all are well at home. Bro Smith gave me 2 of his photos.

Saturday Nov 8/90 Pres Geo Q Cannon was at the office. he attended the meeting of the Sugar Company & went to Emery Stake Conference in the evening I spent the day with E. in conversation also in the evening with the family. Thomas called in this evening. he is very much crowded with his work & is doing to much. breaking himself down (p. 107)

Sunday Nov 9th 1890 I spent the day in conversation. reading &c and returned to the Gardo House in the evening. Joseph went with me it was quite cold.

Monday Nov 10. 1890 Pres Woodruff & Smith at the office. 32 letters were received and 44 recommends signed I attended to our mail on a matter. read the letters and answered several of them. President Woodruff had a personal interview with Mr. R. W. Rigdon of Cuba N. York a grandson of the late Sidney Rigdon, who is visiting this city. Elizabeth & Wilford went home this morning at 11 oclock after coming up into the city. Joseph had my trunk taken to the shop to be repaired. Geo. A. Shumway came up this morning to look for work as he is owing some debts and wants to pay them off. he called to see me. He also called this evening having had some offers of work I had a good talk with him on the foley of going into debt. I gave Bro Jos F. Smith one of my last photos.

Tuesday. Nov 11th 1890 The First Presidency at the office. Pres Geo Q Cannon

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having arrived from Emery co on this mornings train 10 letters were received and 36 recommends signed. (p. 108) I attended to our mail matter. We had a slight snow storm this afternoon. It was decided that messrs Dickson & Stone be engaged at Attorneys with Bros Richards & Young on the church suits.--By directions of Pres W. Woodruff I signed a divorce bill for Einer Johnson from his wife Inguelder Arnason. He being in Iceland & married another woman there. I conversed with Bro Chas T. Stoney of Beaver as to his labors in Beaver Stake found he was a very useful man there & on my report to the Presidency he was released from his missionary call to Great Britain to labor at home. Joseph & Geo A Shumway called

Wednesday Nov 12. 1890 The First Presidency at the office. 12 letters were recd and 19 recommends signed. I attended to our mail letter was recd from Pres Joseph Smith of the Reorganized Church at Lamoni Iowa Nov 8 congratulating Pres W Woodruff on his manifesto & the action of the Saints at conference. The First Presidency had a conversation with Frank J. Cannon and afterwards authorized the delivery to him by Pres L W Shurtleff of 1400 shares of the Ogden "Standard" (p. 109) Stock of the face value of \$700000 It was decided that Samuel Green of South Jordan who put off his garments 20 years ago & now died shall not be buried in his Temple clothes. I met Bro Karl G. Maeser today & was glad to see him Abraham H. Cannon E.Y. Hampton & Leonard G. Hardy with Surveyor Jesse W. Fox Just. associated to as appointed a committee to locate a townsite on the Township of land located by the members of the Salt Lake & Deseret Manufacturing & Canal Co. Bro A H. Cannon submitted the question of the company or individuals plowing up the 1000 acres of land which was farmed last year & take the crops which shall be raised for pay the plowing to cost \$2⁰⁰ per acre. The feeling was that individuals might

do this if they wanted to. That was my mind as I would rather pay my part of \$200.00 in improving my own land. I attended the meeting of the Board of Directors of Z. S. B & T. Co. & acted as Secretary of the meeting. The Directors of the Sugar Company talked about locating the Sugar Mills at American Fork but did not decide Pres Woodruff & Cannon went to the Tabernacle & decided about the changes to be made in the Stands and seating capacity of the choir. (p. 110) In the official count today of the Delegate Election

John T. Caine received	16353	votes
Wm C. C. Goodwin	6906	"
Scattering	<u>28</u>	"
total	23287	"

Caine's majority over Goodwin 9447 Votes

" " " all 9419 "

Elder Geo G. Bywater called & explained the causes of his resigning his position as Master Mechanic of the U. P. Railway Shops. The officer in charge of that Department wanted to make a place for a friend & had concluded Bro Bywater's position would do for him. He asked if he had the sanction of the Preside(n)cy to engage in other business to suit himself. The Presidency felt to bless him for his faithfulness & integrity and hoped he would be able to engage himself in some lucrative as well as agreeable business.

Joseph got my trunk repaired which cost me \$300. He also got for me my certificate of Stock for 20 shares of the Coop Wagon & Machine Company. paid for last December & the certificate for Sophia at the same time. He & G A. Shumway called this evening. Bro Arthur Stayner called on me this evening & I conversed with him on the Sugar (p. 111) plant. A. E. Hyde & John Beck seem determined to contract the whole affair or not let any one else do so.

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They want the plant put up at Lehi & oppose every other location. Pres Smith was informed that his wife was sick. he went home this evening.

Thursday Nov 13, 1890 Pres Woodruff & Cannon at the office Pres Smith did not return. 22 letters were recd & 57 recommends were signed also 11 recommends for ordination of High Priests in Cache Stake. I attended to our mail. Jos H. Young called and represented that the car belonging to Bro John W. Young was not suitable for the Presidency on their trip to Mexico He has been negotiating for another car and expects to obtain one from the Rock Island or Union Pacific Railway. The time for the trip was named as shortly after Thanksgiving day Nov 27th. John Henry Smith came in from Colorado last night & called today. I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency & apostles at 2 p.m. Pres Woodruff & Cannon apostles John H. Smith, J. W. Taylor & A H Cannon present. A communication was submitted by Bro A. H Cannon from Bro E Rich & John Q Cannon of a scheme for getting (p. 112) out water and colonizing some of our people in Wyoming. By direction of Pres Woodruff I signed a bill of divorce for John S. Rolph of Idaho. his wife Martha A. Rolph having appeared before Pres Woodruff & the divorce been granted. Bro Frank Armstrong & Elias Morris & Arthur Stayner met with Pres Woodruff & Cannon & the Sugar Industry was talked over & the location of the plant at American Fork approv(ed) Bro Armstrong after pleading his inability & personal labors agreed to accept the position of chairman of the Executive Board and do the best he can, so as to not neglect his personal business. I had a talk with Joseph about our farm matters/ I also saw Bro C R Savage about my picture frames he called on me. I walked out a while this evening.

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this morning. 18 letters recd - and 34 recommends signed I attended to our mail. Jas Jack & Nephi Clayton called. The claims of Antin Pratt & Bolover Roberts for the fees of the Terr auditor & Treasurer was again being pressed. These brethern had made some offers for compromise which was not accepted after considera(tion) it was deemed best to do nothing more in the matter, but let Pratt & Roberts commence action if they choose to and then of necessary compromises may be considered (p. 113) atty F S Richards expects to start for Washington D. C. on Monday Morning next to attend to the Bassett case before the U S Supreme Court. He had arranged with U. S. Dist atty Harian for an extention of time till Dec to file answers in the suits for the Tithing offices, Gardo House & Historians office It was decided to engage Messrs Dickson & Stone as attorney with Bros Richards & Young in the church suits. It was decided to rent the Large Tabernacle to the Choral Society for a concert. and for atty F. S. Richards while at Washington to obtain an opinion of the atty general as to the right of the Church to rent that House for charitable purposes. if adverse then we can say to all who want to rent the building that the government wont let us do so. A prospectus was sent out by the officers of the Sugar Company accompanied by a letter from the First Presidency inviting the Saints to take stock in the company. Elder Lorenzo Snow called on his way to attend the Sanpete Stake Conference tomorrow & Sunday M. H. Hardy, Wm M Palmer & John Quigley were appointed to travel in the interest of the Y. M. M I Assoc(iation) & the "Contributer." Elder Geo Reynolds returned last night from attended the Uintah Stake Conference & called (p. 114) this morning and took hold of his labors. By request of Pres Woodruff I wrote a letter for him to Bro John I. Hart at Diaz, Chihuahua Mexico. I conversed with Joseph this evening about my farm near Provo. He purposes going home on

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Sunday morning next to commence his labors there. I agreed to pay for his suit of clothes bought at Provo a month since. From a letter to him from Clara we learn that Ma got home all right. Subpoenas were served on Pres Geo Q Cannon & Bro Geo F. Gibbs to appear before the Dist Court on the Council House property. I gave Pres Jos. F. Smith his check to me on Zion's Savings Bank for \$7.75 as a Birthday gift. his birthday being yesterday but he was not here. He left for his home this evening.

Saturday Nov 15, 1890 Pres Geo Q Cannon at the office. 16 letters were received & 20 recommends signed. I attended to our mail. By letter from Pres Jesse N Smith & Bp E M Webb we learn that the Woodruff dam in Arizona has again washed out. Reed Smoot of Provo was set apart for his mission to Europe by apostle A. H. Cannon (mouth) & Geo Reynolds I handed to Joseph \$15.00 - to pay for his last suit of clothes (p. 115) also talked with him about his labors at the farm &c. He took my pictures to Bro Savages to be framed & take home to Provo with him. He called again in the evening with Geo A Shumway, they both purpose starting for Provo in the morning. Joseph delivered up the books &c on which he has been writing this afternoon Geo A. Shumway goes home to get his tools as he now has work in this city at \$3.00 per day. I have been troubled with an attack something like Erysipilas today. & took some Hipo Sulphite of Soda 4 doses. I hope to break it up. I felt some better this evening & left the office.

Sunday Nov 16/90 I spent the day at Sophias and returned to the Gardo this evening. Prest Woodruff & Geo Q. Cannon were the speakers at the Large Tabernacle this afternoon Pres Smith also returned this evening.

Monday Nov 17/90 The First Presidency at the office - 18 letters were recd & 22 recommends answered. I attended to our mail matter. Bro Christian

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Anderson was released from the Penitentiary last Saturday. He called this morning with Bro Henry W Waisbett (?). Bro A. reported a series of conversations (p. 116) with a man in the Pen. who has traveled in Guatamala & other South American Dependences. The Govt of Guatamala holds out great inducements to colonists. give each person (?) 160 acres of land, 2 cows & 1 yoke of oxen &c The argentine Republic also give greater inducements 640 acres & a horse team. plow &c. The climate is tropical Pres Woodruff requested him to write in detail the particulars & send them along. Bro F. S. Richards called & was set apart for his labors at Washington D. C. before the U S Supreme Court in the W E Bassett case by Prests Geo. Q. Cannon (mouth) Jos F. Smith & apostle John Henry Smith, he starts tomorrow morning. I asked him to take the Knives back to R. Harris & Co.. which I want exchanged and he said he would do so with pleasure. I wrote to Harris & Co. & got Bro Sudbury to get the Knives. & I sent them by Bp Apollos Driggs to Bro Richard's House this evening Pres Joseph F. Smith presented me with a pair of slippers. Apostle John Henry Smith called also Bro Wm. Burton of Afton Unita Co. Wyoming.

Tuesday Nov 18/90 The first Presidency at the office. 19 letters were received & 31 Recommends signed. Pres Geo Q Cannon went by the D & R G western train this morning to Lehi & American Fork in the interest of the location of the Sugar Works plant. (p. 117) I received letter from Elizabeth all well at home. also one from C. A. C of the 17 - all well. I am not well of my Eyp-sipelus and am taking the Hipo yet. The itching in my face to day has been very disagreeable. I have attended to our mail matter. I wrote to Elizabeth Bro H. B. Clawson called he starts for San Francisco to night. Had pictures taken to Sophia's to day.

Wednesday Nov 19, 1890 The First Presidency at the office. 18 letters were

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received and 32 recommends signed. I attended to our mail. I attended a meeting of the Board of the Zion's Savings Bank & Trust company at 1 pm. Pres Woodruff subscribed \$50.00 in behalf of the Church for the erection of a church for the Colored people in Salt Lake City. & paid Mrs Naisbett the money. By letter from Bro George Teasdale at Diaz Nov 16/90 we learn that himself & family arrived there on Oct 23/90. his health is improving. Bro Joseph Watson called this evening and conversed with Pres Jos F Smith & myself in regard to his building of the Bank for Z. S. B. & T. Co. and the difficulties he has in getting a settlement with the architect Don C. Young.. He made full explanations. It was suggested that he answer D. C. Young's letter & submit to him appointing some practical men to measure (p. 118) the disputed work provided Bro Watson can have one man to accompany them. and if that is not satisfactory to D. C. Young that Bro Watson bring the matter before the Board of the Bank. I was very glad to see Bro Watson.

Thursday Nov. 20, 1890 The Presidency at the office. 9 letters were received and 17 recommends signed. I received an envelope from Henry Mollenhauer Bennett Son of Eleanor Mullenhauer my cousin, she married a Mr Bennett afterwards a Mr McCrossan. she lives at 26 Makin Street. Walton Liverpool. I got this through Bro Reynolds of Manship. I handed this to Leonard & requested him to inquire into it for if Mr Bennett is here I would like to see him. Leonard handed me \$15900 cash, this is the amount I loaned him to pay for his land at Kanab in 1888. Bro James H. Hart of Paris Idaho called and read a letter from a Mr L. D. Hickey of Coldwater, Michigan. In which he says "he has several books of the Law that was taken from the brass plates Nephi took from Laban. These are of great worth to our people and should be in the hands of the Saints" Bro Hart was requested to make further enquiry in this matter. I attended the usual Prayer Meeting of the Presidency

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and apostles at 2 p. m in the Gardo House upper parlor. The First Presidency & Apostle John Henry Smith present. Bro Cannon prayed (p. 119) Messrs W H Dickson & Stone were engaged as attorneys in the Church Suits & paid \$2500 today. total fees \$10,00000 Geo. A. Shumway called. he returned from Provo on Sunday night. By telegram from Bro Clawson we learn that Hon M. M. Estec left San Francisco Cal. this evening for Washington D. C. in our interest.

Friday Nov 21, 1890. The First Presidency at the office. 9 letters were received and 17 recommends signed. The Presidency signed a letter to the Presidents of Stakes and Bishops endorsing the History of Utah now being prepared by Bishop O. F. Whitney and recommending it to the Saints & general public. My Erysepalas is much worse this morning. my face & eyes are swollen. The Presidency have each expressed themselves that I ought to quit work & do something for myself without further delay which I find I must do. Bro John W. Young returned from Mexico and called this morning and made a report of his visit. He has an offer to contract for building 1500 miles of railroad in Mexico and will further consider the matter. Bro John T Caine called. he goes to Washington D. C. on Sunday It was suggested to him that he do not propose or urge the admission (p. 120) of Utah. as friends are doing what they

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can in that matter. I gave him a receipt for \$299⁰⁰ advanced to me at Washington for Board Expenses &c. Bro Meckin took me to Sophias this evening. where I commenced working on myself. applied sour cream to my face all night.

Saturday Nov. 22nd 1890 I am not any better this morning but still applying the sour cream. Prests Woodruff & Geo Q Cannon & others left by the 7¹⁰ am train for Eureka Tintic to hold meetings & dedicate the new meeting house. I received a letter from Elizabeth all well at home. Bros John W & Hyrum Taylor called. they wish to get the use of some money from Sophia. I talked with them about security &c. & they said they would come on Monday to get it & bring security. Hyrum expects to be married on the 10th of Dec next. Dr Ferguson called as I sent for her & she prescribed the Tincture of Iron. 20 drops every 2 hours. which I took.

Sunday Nov. 23. 1890 The meeting House at Eureka was dedicated to day by Prest Geo Q. Cannon. I am still bathing my face and taking tincture of iron. Bro John Bench of Manti called and I had a nice conversation with him and he administered to me from which I felt very well and much encouraged (p. 121)

Monday. Nov 23th 1890. Bros John W. & Hyrum Taylor called and gave their note to Sophia for \$200⁰⁰⁰ with 10% interest payable in 1 year from date &. gave security in Shares of Stock in the Jordan Canals. I wrote to Elizabeth in reply to her letter received last Saturday. I am still continuing the cream & iron. feel some better. Mr. Charles Ellis delivered a lecture this evening in the Theatre on "Disfranchisement a crime" Dr Ferguson called & told me to continue taking the tincture of Iron & use the buttermilk.

Tuesday Nov 25th. 1890. I received a letter from Elizabeth all well at home. I feel about the same as on yesterday and am doing all I can for my recovery. Bro & sister Joseph Watson called this evening.

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Wednesday Nov 26/90 I wrote to Elizabeth. I do not feel I am any worse of myself. but gain slowly. Geo. A. Shumway called this afternoon. he has no work here and is going home in the morning. I talked with him about getting my land over the river properly surveyed & Stakes set & to assist Joseph in doing this. Leonard called this evening. little John has been sick with a cold but now better. I let him have some quinine (p. 122) pills. I received a letter from Joseph of Nov 24th about fencing wire &c. Pres Geo. Q Cannon met Gov Leland Stanford & Hon M. M. Ester of California at Ogden this afternoon on their way to Washington D. C.

Thursday Nov. 27, 1890 This is Thanksgiving Day and is being observed as a holiday. Leonard called and fixed the Hydrant by casing it in with a boxing so as to keep it from freezing. he took dinner with the family & spent a little while with me. I am improving slowly.

Friday, Nov 28/90. Bro Wm C. Spence was called to prepare to go East regarding the business of next years emigration. It was decided that the repairs in the Large Tabernacle in the seating of the choir &c shall not cost to exceed \$200000--also that the Tabernacle & the Assembly Hall be heated from the New Boiler House now being erected & a new boiler be obtained large enough for this purpose. Apostles Lyman Smith, Grant, Taylor & Cannon were appointed a committee to solicit subscriptions of Stock in the New Sugar Company I am continuing my treatment & feel some better.

Saturday. Nov. 29/90. I received a letter from Elizabeth all well at home. I sent for Bro. Joseph Watson as he wanted me to write a letter for him to Don Carlos Young. He did not come until evening. I wrote to Elizabeth. Sister Barratt called for a short time.

Sunday. Nov 30./90. Brother Sudbury & Bro Bench called this afternoon. Bro S.

proposed that I take a lobelia emetic. to clear out my stomach. This I agreed to do this evening & asked him to come & take charge I commenced my preparations at 530 and at 1030 pm had a good vomite relieving me of much phelm. I felt like having another emetic tomorrow evening. & asked him to come. he said he would. Bro Bench proffered to get me some herbs at Manti which is said to be a cure for Erysipelas.

Monday, Dec. 1. 1890. I received notice from the State Bank of Utah for the last installment for Stock in the Bank being \$10000 perShare. I feel better of myself & am continueing my treatment (p. 124) I took another lobelia emetic this evening had more difficulty in vomiting this time, but got more phelm from my stomach. Bro Sudbury was present.

Tuesday Dec 2. 1890 I received a letter from Bro Wm D Johnson Jr of Diaz. Mexico Nov 24/90. Bro Joseph Watson called and I wrote out a letter for him to Bro Don Carlos Young in regard to Zion's Savings Bank building &c with which he seemed much pleased. I was very tired when done. Did not think I could get so tired but having been shut up so close makes me rather weak. Bro Wacken called this evening. Bro W. C. Spence was set apart for his mission to the Eastern States by Pres Jo. F Smith (mouth) & Bro F M Lyman Bro Jas Jack & N W Clayton called they have an offer to sell the Inland Salt Works to Kansas City parties it was decided not to sell at present Zion's Savings Bank Building was dedicated this afternoon. Pres Geo Q Cannon offered the dedicatory prayer. There were present Pres Woodruff & Geo Q Cannon Elders L. Snow F M Lyman J. H Smith H J Grant M. W. Merrill A. H. Cannon. Geo Reynolds A. M Cannon. D. C. Young. LeGrand (p. 125) Young B. H. Schettler. James Jack & the employees of the Bank. The Hotel Templeton in the building opened today.

Wednesday Dec 3/90 Received a letter from Elizabeth, all well at home. I sent to Bro Jas Jack requesting him to obtain a pass for Elizabeth & one to come from Provo & return which he did. Bro Wm C. Spence started East this afternoon. Sister Watson called & spent a couple of hours in conversation. Sister Barratt also called & they spent most of the afternoon. Bro Watson called in the evening. Bro Moroni M 'sheets called for me with a horse & buggy and after wrapping myself up I accompanied him to the Gardo House. where I met Pres Joseph F. Smith & Elder F M Lyman who were glad to see me. I wrote to Elizabeth and sent her the Pass so that she can come up on Friday next. The apostles held a fast meeting at the Gardo House at 10 oclock am.

Thursday, Dec 4, 1890. Bro Lyman slept with me last night The First Presidency at the office. I attended to our mail matter. 16 letters & 5 recommends signed (p. 126) Bro H B Clawson returned from California & called this morning. Bro Moses Thatcher submitted an offer to buy 50000 or 62000 acres of land in Juarez, Mexico which is very valuable for Timber & Ranch for some \$12,50000 less 25% for the whole amount of land. Bro T can pay for one half if the Presidency can take the other half no action was taken. Bro Wm Budge called and Idaho affairs were considered. He was authorized & instructed to call to his aid and take such measures as he may deem proper to meet with such persons at the Seat of government in Idaho in the Republican Party and to give such assurances that the majority of the Mormon voters will remember their friends in the future, just as they did in Wyoming if the legislature and the whole subject matter was placed under his direction. Bro R. S. Spence was instructed to work under the direction of Bro Budge I attended the usual Prayer meeting of the Presidency & apostles at the Gardo House at 2 pm. present Pres W. Woodruff. G. Q Cannon. J F Smith, Elder L. Snow. F. D. Richards

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M Thatcher F. M. Lyman John H Smith. H J Grant A H Lund & A. ^H. Cannon (p. 127)
F D Richards in opening & M Thatcher in circle. After meeting by my request.
apostles F M Lyman J. H Smith & H. J. Grant anointed me & administered to me
for my health. Bro Lyman anointed & Bro Smith mouth. I had some talk with
Bro. A. H. Lund about Manti Temple matters &c—& sent Kind regards to Bro
Wells Sister C. & others. I had a letter sent to Bro Wm D. Johnson Jr. in
reply to a part of his letter to me about Bro Browns recommend &c.

Friday Dec 5. 1890 The First Presidency at the office. I attended to our
mail. 18 letters recd 18 recommends signed A telegram was received from
Bro F S Richards at Washington D C in which he says "Have ascertained Pres
idents message does not let it be understood that he will favor disfranchise-
ment but that he is opposed to present admission of Utah. attorney General
does not question our right to all of the Temple Block. He thinks you have
the right to let Tabernacle for concerts and Lectures" The question of sel-
ling a part of the Land adjoining the Deseret News Building also of organ-
izing the Deseret News Company into a private company & selling the church
interest therein was talked over but not decided (p. 128) The Presidency
met with ~~Mr~~ Alex Badlam of Cal. & Bp H. B. Clawson Pres Woodruff & Cannon
had an interview with Hon R Cedercrantz of Sweden. arbiter in the inter
national controversy concerning Samoa. Lient A. Uessparro of the Swedish
Army accompanys him. Bro A Driggs took me in his buggy this evening to
Leonards where I met Elizabeth & Clara who arrived this afternoon they were
well. also Leon(ar)ds family.

Saturday Dec 6/90 I spent the day in reading & conversation and read the
typewritten letter of Bro Jos Watson to Don Carlos Young & corrected it in
some places. Elizabeth spent part of the day in town doing business.

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Sunday Dec 7/90 Spent the day with the folks. Elizabeth called on Sister Janette DeLa Mare & brought her to see me. we spent some 3 hours in conversation. I was glad to see her after some 6 years. Thomas also called & spent some time with us. Bro Driggs called for me at 9 p.m. & we drove to the Gardo. where I met Bro Jos F Smith (p. 129) & F. M. Lyman.

Monday, Dec 8/90 The First Presidency at the office. 21 letters recd 18 recommends signed Pres Geo Q Cannon attended the Kaysville Conference Yesterday and brought me a Kind invitation from Sister Margret Roueche to go and make them a visit. By report from Geo C. Lambert Supt of Deseret News Company of Dec 2/90 showing the total cost of the Deseret Paper Mill Plant viz. Cost of construction exclusive of machinery. Penstock shafting

Pulleys & including cottages	96,734.87
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Land & water right	3,505.00
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Cost of machinery Penstock, Shafting pulleys	57,816.65
	<u>\$158,056.52</u>

The questions of disposing of the Paper Mill property & of making changes in the ownership of the Deseret News building &c was talked of but no action taken. Hon. A. B. Carlton was engaged at Washington D. C. to assist Hon John T. Caine in our cause. for \$60000 for the present session of Congress Bp Samuel A Wooley of the 9th Ward was granted the privelege of selling some 40 acres of farm land in the (p. 130) Sugar House Ward to outsider. \$250000 per acre was mentioned as the price for the land. Sister Zina D. H. Young submitted a Knitted garment somthing like our garments which is made in the East and asked if such may be marked & have a collar put on it and used as our Temple garment It was decided that such garments should not be used in lieu of the pattern given. Elder James Moyle supt of the Temple Block Work died this morning of Typhoid pneumonia after a Sickness of about one week

This was quite unexpected. Bro S. B. Young called with a letter from Bro. John Pickett in Oakland California representing that Mr Alfred Nethercott is desirous of being baptized also his family. Mr Nethercott formerly resided in this city & at Provo. a letter was written to Bro Pickett to baptize these persons. I received a letter from Bro Warren M. Johnson of Lee's Ferry Nov 28/90 asking if I wish to sell or rent my house & city lot at Kanab & to give him the prices. It was decided to hold the funeral services of Bro James Moyle at the assembly Hall. (p. 131)

Tuesday Dec 9th - 1890 The First Presidency at the office. I attended to our mail. 16 letters received 28 recommends signed. It was decided to have a 60 horse power horizontal boiler made by Bro Haines & Co. to furnish heat & power for the Tabnacle assembly Hall & Temple. also to light these buildings with electricky & furnish power for whatever may be needed. and to properly pipe & wire these buildings. the boiler to be taken out of the assembly Hall. also that 300 chairs be procured for the choir. \$35,00000 was raised by the First Presidency to help meet the 1st payment on the New Sugar Company plant It was decided to move the museum into one of the lower rooms of the Zion's Savings Bank Building 18 x 40 feet the rent to be \$12500 per month. Geo A Shumway came up from Provo this morning & called this afternoon. he is engaged in the sale of a piece of land to Bro McHenry. I talked with him about my land & the surveying also about wire for fencing At my request Bro Jas Jack found I owed \$21598 to make my full payments on 40 shares of the State Bank of Utah C pital Stock. (p. 132)

Wednesday Dec 10. 1890. The First Presidency at the Office. 11 letters were received 15 recommends signed. Bro Ira N. Hinckly called it was decided to locate the Millard Stake Academy at Fillmore. I attended the meeting of the

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Board of Directors of Zion's Saving's Bank & Trust Co at 1 pm. It was decided to organize by selecting and appointing a Board Trustees for the holding the bequeathed by the late President B. Young & to erect a college therein. Le-Grand Young & Rich W Young to write in framing the necessary papers. Bro C. O. Card called, also Bro Thos. F Roueche whom I was very glad to meet. he & family are well They sent a pressing invitation by Pres G. Q. Cannon last Sunday for me to go & pay them a visit. Bro Roueche had recommends for himself & Josephine signed so they can do work in the Temple. I wrote to Sophia to send me her Bank Book and an order for \$10000 to pay the last assessment on her 10 shares of State Bank of Utah Stock. - I also wrote to Bro H M Wells cashier of the Bank & to Bro Jas Jack & got Bro Jack to take \$11600 of my money with Sophias order to pay \$21598 yet due on the 8th & last assessment on the State Bank of Utah Stock for (p. 133) 4¹/₂ Shares and to get the certificates of Stock as follows: For L John Nuttall 15 Shares. E C Nuttall 10 Shares & S. T. Nuttall 15 Shares. Sophia paid for 10 of hers & I paid for 5 Shares with her money got for the sale of her Salt Lake City Railway Stock. I also paid for Elizabeth 10 Shares with her money for Salt Lake City Ry. Stock sold. and paid for my own with my S. L. C. Ry Stock & S L City Stock Sold by Bro Jack last March. to do this for Elizabeth she owes me \$10000 which I lent her last September at Washington which was to be taken from her money. on receiving the certificate of Stock I signed for them. Wrote to C A C. Received a bill from C. R. Savage for 4 pictures frames. \$2400.

Thursday Dec 11/90. Prest Woodruff at the Office. Pres G Q Cannon at home sick Pres Jos. F. Smith called home this morning early one of his family sick. I attended to our mail. 15 letters rec & 40 recommends signed. I talked with Bro Jos E. Taylor about the place of the graves of our children buried in the

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Salt Lake City Cemetry he promised to give me a plat of the same. Bro J. L Dalton of Ogden called & Pres Woodruff gave him a recommend for his 2nd annointings. I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency & apostles at 2 pm. Present Pres W Woodruff. & apostles (p. 134) F M Lyman, J. H Smith, H J Grant & A. H. Cannon. I find I have deposited in Zion's Sav(i)ng Bank \$346.19. I spoke to Bro T G. Webber about increasing the interest on my deposits at Z. C. M. I. to 10%. He sent Bro Carlsen to see me about it. & we talk further on the matter in the morning. as I must raise 150000 - to pay my assessments on my Deseret Land entry. near Deseret. Bros. F M Lyman & H S Gowans called this evening. Leonard called to see me today. they are all well. I received a letter from Elizabeth this morning & answered it. I also wrote to Bro Warren M. Johnson of Lee's Ferry Arizona, and offered to sell my Kanab House & lot for \$50000 or to rent it to him for \$7500 a year. my face has been more flushed to day and itched considerable. I have been taking Hipo sulphite of Soda yesterday & today. Bro J L Dalton gave me a recipe for Erysipilas. as follows: get the white willow, or willow with the narrow leaf. take off the outside bark. then take the inside bark and dry it & pulverize it. mix with sweet cream and apply to face as an ointment. also take the juice of carrot squeezed out while raw and drink after meals about a wine glass full. (p. 135)

Friday Dec 12, 1890 Presidents Woodruff & Geo. Q. Cannon at the office 6 letters recd. 12 recommends signed. \$15000 was appropriated to Mr. C.A. Hall in behalf of the Hedrickite Church at Independence Mo.. By telegram from Bro John T Caine we learn that the Edmunds bill, legislating for the distribution of the persons property of the Church was up in the House of Repr. yesterday and went over till next Saturday. he hopes to kill it then. Prests Woodruff

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& Cannon attended the funeral Services of the late Elder James Moyle at the assembly Hall at 1 pm. and each spoke a short time. all the brethern left the office this evening I went to Sophias with Bro Jas A Cushing.

Saturday Dec 13/90. The Church property bill was up in the House of Repr. today & was postponed till next Tuesday. we learn this by telegram from Bro Caine. I recd a letter from Elizabeth all well at home. also a statement of my account at the State Bank of Utah. spent the day in bathing my face with buttermilk as my erysepelus is not all gone yet. and it causes me much annoyance. (p. 136)

Sunday Dec 14/90. Spent the day resting. Bro Jos Watson called & conversed with me awhile. Bro Apollers Driggs called for me this evening with his horse & buggy. I met Bro Jos F Smith at the Gardo when he returned.

Monday Dec 15/90 The First Presidency at the office. 18 letters received 18 recommends signed. Bro Sudbury let me have some Salve last night to put on my eyes & face and I find it done me much good this morning. the rough skin is coming off my face and it is not so inflamed I sent & got a box of the same salve 'Pettits Eye Salve.' The Presidency, Bishops, Preston & Winder, called & submitted a list of stakes who should be entitled to an increase percent for rece(i)v(i)ng and disbursing tithing Cassia, Kanab, St George Unitah Millard & Snowflak(e) to have 13% and Malad, Maricopa, San Luis, San Juan, St Joseph & St. Johns to have 15% and all the other Stakes 10% a circular letter on the settlement of tithing to the President of Stakes & Bishops was also read & approved The settlements in Northern Canada will be organiz(ed) into the Alberta Stake of Zion with Bro Chas O Card (p. 137) as President, and until such organization is effected Bro Card will report to the 1st Presidency & Presiding Bishopric the affairs of Said Stake. The Presidency

attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of Z.C.M.I. at 2 pm to 4.15 pm. I wrote to Elizabeth in answer to her letter rec Saturday I conversed with Bros Webber & Carlson about cashing my certificates of Deposit at Z.C.M.I. They will help me all they can. and propose to let me have 8% on the amount I Don(')t draw.

Tuesday Dec 16/90 The First Presidency at the office. 11 letters recd & 11 recommends signed. At my request Bro Sudbury bought for me a bottle of Dr David Kennedys "Favorite Remedy" for my Kidneys as I find they are somewhat out of order by the pains in my loins. I commenced taking it today at noon. \$334⁷⁰ was allowed to pay for Potatoes sent to several gentlemen at California as presents 10 sacks to each. This has not been a very busy day.

Wednesday Dec 17/90 The First Presidency at the office. 14 letters recd 12 recommends signed. Atty F.S. Richards arrived from Washington DC this morning and called. He reported his labors while absent (p. 138) He had appeared before the U.S. Supreme Court in the Bassett Case. Had interviews with Pres Harrison. Sec. Blain Atty Genl Miller. Senator Cullon. Rep Stewart of Vt. Rep Taylor & others. Bp Milln Attwood of the 13th Ward died this morning at 12.30 I attended the usual meeting of the Directors of Z.S.B. & T Co at 1 pm. it is expected to declare a dividend at the close of this month Pres Geo Q. Cannon had a lengthy interview with John Beck on Bullion Beck Co. affairs & afterwards explained to Pres Woodruff & Smith & myself. Bro F.S. Richards brought me the Knives from Harris Bros which I requested him to do in exchange for the ones they gave me in mistake. Bp W.B. Preston submitted the name of Bro Charles Livingston to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Bro James Moyle as Supt of the Temple Block. no action taken

Thursday Dec. 18. 1890 The First Presidency at the office. 6 letters recd

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13 recommends signed. I have been thinking of Pres Geo Q. Cannons interview with Bro John Beck and my suggestion to him yesterday that he would be justified in taking any course he thought proper to make Bro Beck deal justly by him. of course (p. 139) only in the Church Courts and I now feel that he should not go before the Church Courts with his case, but see Bro Beck again and Keave (leave?) the moral as well as the equitable obligation upon him to do what is right by Bro Cannon. I so explained myself to Bro Cannon this morning and it met his mind fully. & he so explained himself to Presidents Woodruff & Smith. The following telegram from Hon. John T Caine at Washington was recd. "No morning hour Tuesday or Wednesday "Church property bill remains unfinished business "in the next morning hour. working to defeat it result "doubtled." The following telegram was sent to him. "Beware of Murray he is in the employ of our enemies here. Bro L. G. Hardy called again for our money on our Deseret land & canal account. Pres Woodruff paid his. Bros Cannon. Smith & myself promised to do our best to raise our share. But money is very scarce just now. By a note from Sophia I learn that our son Willie has been troubled with a cold & fever. but is now some better. Bro Jos E Taylor called this evening and gave me a plot of the graves of our children in Pres John Taylors lot (p. 140) in Salt Lake City Cemetry. I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency & apostles at 3 p.m

Friday Dec 19/90 The First Presidency at the office. 9 letters rec 10 recommends signed I received a letter from Elizabeth all well at home I am feeling much worse in my face this mor(nin)g and have concluded it to be necessary that I go home and take care of myself until I break up this desease. I had my face painted around to stop the progress of the desease. Bro. Jas. Jack procurred for me a pass to Provo & return. Leonard called I and/asked him to go with me to Provo. to go by train this evening. I also

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sent a telegram to Joseph. as follows. "Meet me with buggy tonight Denver train eleven thirty" Leonard." I also arranged with Bro Wilckens to have me taken to the train at 10.05 p.m. I sent for Sophia & told her my plans. she gave me a nice black silk Handkerchief to tie around my neck & face for a Christmas gift. Presidents Woodruff & Cannon attended a Fish dinner at the "Globe" this evening gotten up by the Fish committee of the Territory. Before they left I requested Prest. Geo Q Cannon & Jos. F. Smith to administer to me which they did Bro Smith anointed & Bro Cannon mouth. I felt (p. 141) better. at 9.40 Bro McHenry called for me with a team & buggy and drove me to the Rio Grande depot. I tied up my head & face so as ^{to} not take any cold. The train arrived I met Leonard & we took our seats and started on time 1005 was quite comfortable on the car & arrived at Provo at 1130 was met by Joseph & George A with a buggy. I rode with Joseph & Leonard walked with George found all well at home and anxious to see me. I soon prepared for bed but had 2 poultices of sour cream put on my face before Elizabeth went to bed and felt quite comfortable not having taken any cold on my trip.

Saturday Dec 20/90 Continued in bed & Kept on the cream poultices on my face. this evening put on some wild sage poultices - and all night.- Leonard went to the cemetery to see about Josephines grave - also went with Joseph over the river to look at the farm & returned.

Sunday Dec 21/90 Kept on my poultices all day & night. Leonard attended meeting this afternoon

Monday Dec 22/90 Still in bed attending promptly to my poultice (p. 142) Elizabeth is very attentive. This evening we applied 2 poultices of Stewed Cranberries Kept them on all night. Leonard intended going home this afternoon but missed the train I then persuaded him to wait till morning

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Tuesday Dec 23rd 1890 I am feeling much better but the color is not all gone from my face yet. I sat up a short time this afternoon. and continued my poultices to night. I am also taking Dr Kennedys "Favorite Remedy" for my blood & Kidneys. Leonard left for home this morning. I requested him to call at the Gardo & tell the Presidency how I am progressing, also to call & see Sophia for the same purpose.

Wednesday Dec 24/90 I Kept my bed all morning & sat up this afternoon am feeling some better.

Thursday Dec 25, 1890. This is Christmas day. the 34th anniversary of my wedding with Elizabeth. Elizabeth Ann & George & family came from over the river. I shaved & dressed myself and mingled with the family all day. we had a nice family dinner which I enjoyed very (p. 143) much. and felt well all day in the society of wife and children. Elizabeth Ann George & Children went home in the evening. We had all our family at home but Leonard & Thomas I did not poultice my face tonight. The weather is very mild.

Friday Dec 26/90. I do not sleep very well at night I sat up most of the day and continued my poultices at night The weather is just like spring. the fruit buds are swelling on the trees. very little snow on the tops of the mountains. roads dry & dusty, it has been so ever since I came down. There having been a slight sprinkle of rain on last Friday.

Saturday Dec 27/90 I wrote to Bro Jas. Jack for Ma's money & orders also to Sophia & Bro J. A. Cushing, Bro Karl G. Maeser called on me this evening. he had been to the city today & learned of my sickness and by request of Bro Reynolds he called to see after my welfare I had a brief talk with him. he said he would call again. Bro Chas Ellis delivered a Lecture this evening at the Opera House on Utah since 1847 to 1890 Joseph & the girls went to hear him.

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Sunday Dec 29/90 I got up about 11 am. Elizabeth Ann, George & the children (p. 144) came from over the river and stayed till along in the afternoon. I talked with George & Joseph about the farm & the plan for George s house. Mr. Dodd our neighbor with some other members of his family caught a burglar last night who had entered his house through one of the windows & had him locked up in Jail. Apostle Moses Thatcher & Bro J. F. Wells preached in the meeting House this afternoon. & Mr. Chas Ellis delivered another lecture at the opera House this evening on the Utah Liberals. Joseph & the girls attended. I spent the evening with Elizabeth in conversation.

Monday Dec 29th 1890. I am feeling better this morning and concluded to remain over until Thursday night I wrote to Bro Jas Jack to get my pass extended for 3 or 4 days as it expires on the 31st and to use it I must go tomorrow night or have the time extended I also wrote to Bro S. J. Sudbury to arrange for Bro A Driggs to meet me with his horse & buggy at 2 oclock am. on Friday Morning at the Rio Grande depot. also wrote to Sophia & to Bro Geo Reynolds to let them know how I am. (p. 145) I have examined some of my deeds and find I have the one for my land on the Temple hill from R Breherton. I cleaned Ma s clock and set it to running. it having been stopped some 2 years. and done some other little chores about the house. Joseph & the girls went to the Theatre to see the noted actress Clara Morris. Ma & myself put some cranberry poultices on each of my legs from the calf to above the Knee, they having some color in them & inclined to itch.

Tuesday Dec 30th 1890. The poultices do not seem to have done much good.

Elizabeth Ann & children & George came over this morning and returned about 2 p m. at 330 it came on a cold wind, hail, sleet & rain very heavy for a short time then cleared up. I looked over some of my private papers & Journals

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today, & made out a discription of my piece of land in A. H. Scotts entry & handed it to Joseph, as there appears to be some question about the titles given by his administrators. I got my deed through Bro T. P. Eggertson. The sun set quite clear. cold this evening. Ma fixed some poultices of sage leaves for my legs and we put them on & went to bed. /on top of page--Dec 30, 1890/ (p. 146) December 31. 1890. /on top of page/

Wednesday, Dec 31st 1890. This is the last day of the year 1890. The Year has been a very eventful one and has past into eternity with its record of good and evil. I feel that I have just cause to be thankful for the many blessings I have received as also my family. We have all been preserved in life and in the faith of the Gospel. The Church has not suffered as our enemies have desired. but has come off victorious and the gospel is being more generally preached in this nation & in the world. We had a light fall of Snow during the night the ground mostly covered. the sun came out during the morning but somewhat cloudy. The poultices on my legs seemed to do some good. so we concluded to continue them today and did so. — I received my pass it having been extended for 10 days - also received letter from Sophia & Bro S. J. Sudbury—The new Meeting House in the First Ward Provo being finished and paid for was dedicated this evening. apostle F. M. Lyman offered the dedicatory prayer. Bro A. O. Smoot David John, H. H. Cluff. J. M. Lyman. J. E. Daniels, T. P. R. Johnson Wm Paxman each spoke. Elizabeth. Joseph Mary Clara & Wilford were present. I sent \$2000 as a donation to the New House by Joseph who handed it to Bp (p. 147) T. P R Johnson. Eleanor staid with me and I had a nice conversation with her. I portrayed the evils of dancing schools & such like places, she has attended a few sessions, but she promised me she would not go there any more. After meeting I had the family together and we had a good time in

making all wrongs right so as to start the new year aright. I then offered prayer. Joseph Mary, Eleanor & Clara then attended a party gotten up by the Firemen at the Opera House & came home at 1230. Ma & myself put fresh poultices on my legs, before going to bed. Thus closed the year 1890. Yesterday I sent my Tithing receipts to the Tithing Office at Provo, for 1890, as follows:

Proceeds of business. -- Cash	\$200.00
Cash for amounts received during the year	
or dividends &c	33.00
Tithing on Coop Wagon & Machine Co. Stock	<u>13.34</u>
	\$246.33

I having obtained these 2 first receipts from Bro Jas Jack on my account at the Presidents Office. (p. 148)

1891 January 1st Thursday. I am feeling tolerable well this morning and thankful to see this day. I offered my prayers & thanksgiving to the Lord. and dedicated myself, wives, children and possessions to the Lord. This being the First Thursday in the month it is observed as Fast Day. Elizabeth, Joseph, Mary, Eleanor & Wilford, also Leonard Charles Shumway our grand son, attended the Fast day services in the New Meeting House. I think my legs are some better but much inflamed and hope they will continue to improve The day is fine and clear sun shining bright all nature seems glad in the us(h)ur(i)ng in of the New Year. I have many reflections as to what this year will bring forth. I feel that I am in the hands of the Lord, as also my family and the Church of God, and we can only accomplish what the Lord permits us to do. so with our enemies. so our trust is in the Lord now and forever. At noon I sent for Apostle F. M. Lyman whb came in the afternoon. I showed him my (p. 149) leg and asked his advice about going to the city to night as previously arranged

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He thought I should not go and advised me to stay and take care of myself & attend to my legs. He was going to return to the City, and would call on Prests. Woodruff & Smith and fully explain my situation to them. Prest Cannon is now in California as I learned by Bro Sudburys letter received last Wednesday. so I concluded to stop and sent the following telegram to Bro S. J. Sudbury. "Concluded not come to-night. will write, inform folks." Bro Lyman after spending an hour in conversation left me with his blessing. My & myself went to work on my legs in the afternoon & night doing what we thought best to draw out & heal the inflammation. Put on Salt Rheum Cream and bandaged them up. The children were all at home this evening so we spent the time in conversation & games.

Friday January 2, 1891 The ground is covered with Snow it having fallen in the night. cleared up about 10 oclock, but snowing in the mountains. My legs appear much better this morning. Ma prepared a wash made of about 1 ounce of Common Washing Soda dissolved in a pint of Water (p. 150) and washed the parts affected and afterwards applied the Salt Rheum Cream & bandaged up my legs. I wrote to Bro S. J. Sudbury and appointed Sunday night as the time to take train & return to the City. Sent the letter off by the 310 R. G. W. train I wrote out a petition for G. A. Shumway and the residents if Lake View, to the Rio Grande Western Railway Co. to put up a platform near my farm. My Son George and wife returned this morning they having been away on a visit for a week. We spent the evening at home.

Saturday January 3rd 1891 My legs are feeling much better & we Keep on with the washing & cream. I looked over some of my private books & papers today, and read the papers. The children all at home this even(in)g I sent the following telegram to Bro S. J. Sudbury. "Please arrange for tomorrow Sunday

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night wrote you yesterday"

Sunday Jan 4th 1891. Another fine day. we are attending to my legs which are improving. The Children went to Sabbath School this morning & meeting this afternoon & evening. I made my preparations to leave for the City to night I rec a letter from Bro Geo Reynolds. The Presidency want me to stay until well. George A Shumway & Elizabeth Ann & children came over this afternoon and remained all night. we were all at home during the evening also George & wife (p. 151) and spent the time agreeably until 12 Oclock when Joseph & George & Geo A Shumway left with me at 1230 for the Railway depot. here we learned that the train was 3 hours late so we returned to the house and waited till 230 a.m & went down again. The train arrived at 320 and I got on board & left at 325 only stopped once at Brigham Junction arrived at Salt Lake City at 435 being only 1 hour & 10 minutes from Provo. Bro Apollus Driggs was waiting for me with a buggy and we drove to the Gardo House arrived all right went to my room and was ready for bed at 5 A. M. I found the G. H. very warm and to me it seemed unhealthy.

Monday Jan 5th 1891 I got up from my bed at 11 am. dressed my legs which do not seem so well this morning the skin seems dry & harsh but I hope they will be all right soon. I came down just Before Pres Woodruff left for his home as he was feeling sick with so(me) pain in his bowels & thought that care & rest would do him good. He & Pres Geo. Q. Cannon & Jos F. Smith expressed their pleasure at my seeming so well & hoped I would still improve—(p. 152) I received a letter from Bro Warren M. Johnson of Lees Ferry about my Kanab House & lot. he offers me \$35000 for my house & lots. also letter from C. A.C. of Dec 20/90. I did not take hold of work but rested & conversed with the brethren. It was brewing for a storm all morning and came on to Snow about 4 Oclock which was very seasonable. Miss Emma Abbott the great singer died at the Templeton Hotel this City, this morning of pneuinomia. I wrote to

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Elizabeth & the children this afternoon. I dressed my legs again this afternoon and this evening before going to bed.

Tuesday Jan 6./90 The First Presidency at the office. Pres. Woodruff feeling much better. he had a bilious attack yesterday but it did not continue very severe 5 letters recd 6 recommends signed Nephi Clayton called & reported the U. P. officials had decided to not put in the track to the Saltair Salt Works, it was deemed necessary for him to go to Omaha & see Mr S. H. H. Clark the Genl Manager & lay the matter before him. a letter of introduction was given him by the First Presidency. He goes East this afternoon. (p. 153) Bro C. W. Penrose was requested by Pres Woodruff to draft a refutation and reply to the article published in "The Illustrated American" against us as a people. He said he would do so Apostles F. D. Richards & John Henry Smith called were pleased to see me. Pres Wm R. Smith & Counselors called & reported that Bro Geo. W. Kendall had been selected as Bishop for South Weber Ward, this was approved & Bro F. D. Richards was requested to set him apart Jan 25th was set as the day to set him apart & dedicate the New Meeting House. Pres D. H. Wells called. Andrew Thompson's salary as 2nd assistant to Pres. Wells was increased to \$120000 per year. His (Bro Wells) action in securing the land needed near the Manti Temple from the City Council of Manti while the present members are in office. the land being 80 acres or as much as can be obtained also the right of way for the water to all the land obtained. I had some conversation with him on personal matters. he feels well in his health & returns to Manti this afternoon.— I wrote to Sophia. This is a fine clear day. Sophia called this afternoon they are all well. A telegram was received (p. 154) from Bro John W. Young at New York stating he had arranged for a loan of \$60,00000 for 6 mo. at 6% from the Western National Bank of New York.

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Wednesday January 7, 1891. The First Presidency at the office. 15 letters recd & 33 recommends signed. Pres Geo Q Cannon submitted some questions in regard to Statehood for Utah. His first was to see if some arrangements can be made to unite the influence of the Railroad companies who have lines in Utah. Another: To see if a sentiment can be developed among some of the Gentiles in this and other Cities in the Territory in favor of admission. If the influence of a good Gentile news paper could be secured it might be of benifit. He also submitted a circular letter which has been circulated by Judge Powers as Chairman of the Territorial Central Committee of the Liberals. which is calling for Means to employ men at Washington D C to oppose Statehood & the interests of the majority in Utah. A list of names of persons to meet & talk over these matters was drawn out. I attended the meeting of the Board of Directors of Z. S B & T Co. at 1 pm. Bro Schettler gave me some (p. 155) calendars.—\$500000 was appropriated to assist in the erection of the Weber Stake Academy. Bro A. W Carlson called and submitted papers in Security of Z C M. I Stock for money obtained in the East by Hon John W. Young. The Presidency signed a paper appointing Bro August W Carlson as Trustee to hold the Stock of certain Stock holders who loaned them Stock to the Church so that the Insti. could issue our certificate for the whole amount which was needed in security for a loan to the Church of \$60,00000 at New York. He brought the certificate for 800 shares in his name as Trustee properly endorsed. a letter was written to Hon John W. Young by express also the following enclosures: Note dated Jan 7/90 for \$6000000 payable 90 days after date with privelege of renewal for 90 days after maturity with 6 % interest per annum signed by the First Presidency. also a certificate of Z C M I Stock # 2531 for 800 Shares in the name of

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Agust W Carlson as Trustee properly endorsed. also a certificate of Secy Thos G Webber of Z C M I vouching for the bussiness standing of Bro Carlson also a firm of the Drafts of Z S B & T Co. with instructions. also the Sig-
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nature of Bro B H Schettler as assistant cashier. a telegram was/sent to Bro J. W. Young as follows: "Sent to you by express today Note and Collateral security requested as per telegram of yesterday wish the amount placed to the credit of Z S B & T Co with Western National Bank there, am writing full particulars." I am still attending to my legs think they are some better. I received a Pass for 1891 to use the Deseret Telegraph Company lines from Pres Woodruff.

Thursday January 8/91 Prests Cannon & Smith at the office. Pres Woodruff sent note saying his cough was bad last night & he deemed it prudent to stay at home today 11 letters recd & 14 recommends signed Elder C W Penrose called & submitted a draft of an article as requested by Pres Woodruff in refutation of the articles published in the "Illustrated American." he also took it to Pres Woodruff who approved of it. Bp Geo Halliday of American Fork called Pres Geo Q Cannon referred to the matters on Statehood for Utah &c as submitted yesterday. to Bro John Henry Smith. A H Cannon & C W Penrose also requesting the newspapers to assume a conciliatory course that better billings may be (p. 157) encouraged & conservative Gentiles talked to. He also spoke of Mr Chas Ellis going East to deliver one or two of his lectures. This was thought to be a good move I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency & apostles at 2 pm. present Prests G. Q. Cannon Jos F Smith & apostles, J H Smith, J. W. Taylor & A. H. Cannon. I received letters from Elizabeth and Clara and answered them. Bro B. H. Schettler ~~ast~~ cashier of Zion s Savings Bank called & submitted a statement of the Bank for the month ending December 31st 1890. which is as follows:

Resources.

Loans.	14,428.36	
Int due on Loans	20,844.48	
Bonds.	50,000.00	
Real Estate, Bank Fixtures &c.	258,148.43	
Demand Loans	60,000.00	
New York Correspondent	20,807.17	
San Francisco	49,900.65	
Cash on Hand	<u>35,627.91</u>	<u>166,335.73</u>
		\$1,209,757.00 (p. 158)

Liabilities

Capital Stock paid up	\$124,912.50
Surplus Fund	124,912.50
Saving's Deposits	865,301.58
Call	27,246.85
Certificates of Deposit.	59,015.00
Int due on same.	394.50
Profit & loss	<u>7,974.07</u>
	\$1,209,757.00

Friday, January 9, 1891 The First Presidency at the office. 9 letters were recd and 10 recommends signed Sunday Jan 18th was fixed as the date to organize a new Ward at Provo taking a part of the 4th Ward with Bro Alex Gillespie as Bishop. Bro A. M Mussers Salary was increased from \$150000 to \$200000 per Year and \$100000 appropriated in his behalf to apply on his tithing Bp John Spencer called and talked on Indian Matters. and explained his personal circumstances. \$30000 was appropriated in his (p. 159) behalf and he was allowed

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\$20000 per year to commence Jan 1, 1892. I was much pleased to see him.

Bro Geo. M. Brown called and submitted a plot of some land he had purchased in Chihuahau Mexico. some 70,000 acres & asked for counsel as to his seeking colonists to go and help him pay for it. The brethren had no objections to brethren who are exposed to the law going there but not young men not so exposed. I had a pleasant call from Sister Margret Roueche. was pleased to see her looking well in health & learn that her family are all well. Pres Woodruff s article to the "Illustrated American" was sent with a letter to Hon John T. Caine at Washington for him to have it published in the American I find that the color of the Erysepelus is again out on my forehead and about the nose today. I hope to stop it. The brethren left this evening. I went to Sophias to try & doctor myself for my Erysepelus. Bro Sudbury got for me another Box of Salt Rheum Cream. Bro. C H. Wilcken took me down in his buggy.

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Saturday, January 10/91. Spent the day doing what I could for my face Bro Jos. Watson called & I talked with him in regard to his letter to Don Carlos Young on Zion's Bank Building. I suggested that he call & see Pres Jos. F. Smith & explain the whole matter to him. which he said he would do. Sister Barratt called & spent the evening & Sam called for her about 9 oclock. Bro Sudbury called with another bottle of "Kenedys Favorite Remedy" which I asked him to get for me.

Sunday January 11/91 My face is yet much colored. I am doing all I can for it. I spent the day in reading, conversation &c Bro A Driggs called for me about 9 oclock with his buggy & drove me to the Gardo. it was very cold. Pres Smith & Bro F M Lyman soon came we spent some time in conversation, and I prayed. I washed & bandaged up my face.

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Monday Jan 12/91. The First Presidency at the office. 28 Letters recd. 29 recommends signed. My face is still much colored but I do not think it is quite so bad as yesterday. I received a letter from Clara all well at home. Leonard called at noon, little Christina is sick (p. 161) with cold & fever. he had called on Dr. Ferguson to go & see her. He took some of my clothes to be washed. also some 7 letters from Pres Young to myself. for Bro Jas. A. Little to copy as I promised him. I sent for Bro Spence and asked him to get me a pass to Provo & return which he said he would do. I obtained from Bro Jack an order on Provo Tithing office for \$20.00 in favor of B. Y. academy to pay for Clara's School bill for 20 weeks in the academic Dept. I wrote to Elizabeth & Clara. Bro. Spence brought me a pass good till January 31/90. wrote to C A. C. By telegram from Hon John T. Caine at Washington D C. we learn that Gov Arthur L Thomas & Ex. Gov. Caleb W. West are urging action on Congress on the disfranchisement bill. The Chairman of Comty on Ters. purposes calling the bill up in committee next week to have it made applicable to Arizona also." I arranged with Bro Carlsen Treas of Z. C. M. I. for sufficient money to pay my dues on the Deserets Canal Co. of \$1542.50 The Statement is as follows:

Note favor L. J. Nuttall #3299 for \$1200 @ 6% to date	1333.50
#3300 1200. @6%	1333.50
Dividend for 3 mos ending Nov 5/90 on 22 Shares @ 3%	66.00
Balance due Aug 5/90	<u>2.00</u>
	\$2735.00 (p. 162)
Check #302 on State Bank of Utah	\$1125.00
Note #3941 favor of L J Nuttall @8%	<u>1610.00</u>
(I signed over my 2 notes to the Co)	\$2735.00

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Bro L M. Lyman called he is 51 years old today I congratulated him. Bro Joseph Watson called this evening and laid before Pres Jos F Smith this complaint against Don Carlos Young is not settling with him on the erection of Zions Bank Building. He was advised to bring his case before the Bank Directors next Wednesday at their meeting.

Tuesday January 13. 1891. My face is yet very much colored I dressed my face last night, but it seems no better this morning In conversation with Pres Smith, he advised me to go and take care of myself until I recover my health. I sent the following telegram to Joseph at Provo, Take buggy or wagon to train to night." I also spoke to Pres Woodruff & Cannon about going & they were quite willing. I paid Bro Chas Savage \$2400 his bill for Picture frames. I also paid into Zion s Savings Bank \$83.50 and drew out \$420.00 This with the check of Zion's Coop Dist drawn last night for \$112500 will pay my dues to Bro L. G. Hardy on Deseret Canal a/c. I sent a note to him to come & get his money. Bro Spence attended to this for me. (p. 163)

The First Presidency at the office. 10 letters recd 9 recommends signed. A telegram was recd from Bro. H. B. Clawson at San Francisco, Cal. in regard to the illness of Senator Hearst, &c. Bro Abram Hatch called and conversed in regard to the arrest of several brethren at Heber on U. C. charge. Bro W. C Spence handed me \$600 as rebate on my ticket from New York last october. I paid to Bro L. G. Hardy \$1542.50 my assessment on my Shares in the Deseret & Salt Lake Agricultural & Manufacturing Canal Company and I received my certificate for 167 Shares of Stock. The First Presidency attended a meeting at 2 pm. with several brethren Capitalists at the Gardo to talk over matters and arrive at means for raising funds for political purposes, and as shall be needed in the interests of Utah's admission, and contend against the agents

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of the Liberal Party now in Washington D. C. Clamoring for inimical legislation. Also as to the propriety of Mr Chas Ellis going East to deliver one or more of his lectures. (p. 164) Sophia called this afternoon. also Leonard & Thomas. Christina is some better today. Thomas has been laid off from his work at the U. P. Shops since last Saturday. He has a prospect of getting work at the Rio Grande Railway Shops. There has been a large fire in the Hooper & Eldridge Block, the Stores of the Coop Furniture & Barton & Co are burned out, and at 6 pm the fire is still raging. got the fire out about 11 oclock pm. I have been arranging all day to go to Provo on the train tonight. at 9⁴⁵ pm Bro Wm Henry called for me with his buggy & drove me to the Rio Grande Depot where I boarded the train & started at 10⁰⁵ arrived at Provo at 11³⁰ was met by Joseph & George with team & wagon and drove home found all well. I think I took a little cold in my face as it was very red & swollen. soon went to bed & Ma put a cream poultice on my face.

Wednesday January 14. 1891 My face looks bad this morning. We commenced applying Sage poultices & Kept it up all day. I in bed at night put on cream we have been very energetic. Ma has stood by me.

Thursday Jan 15/91 My face is some better, but still very red & swollen (p. 165) we commenced putting on Salt Rheum Cream & Cloths wet in weak lye from Washing Soda. Kept this up all day. I in bed & put on cream at night. We had a snow storm this morning. Joseph is hauling Cedar posts onto my farm. He has bought 300 at 13 centseach from Bro S. S. Jones.

Friday Jan 16th 1891. My face is much better this morning, I got up & dressed myself. The ground is covered with Snow. I recd letter from Leonard. little Christina is improving & much better also letter from Bro Jas A Cushing

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with a draft on State Bank of Utah for \$3000 \$72 being the 10 dividend of the Coop Wagon & Machine Company. I wrote to Sophia, also to Bro S. J. Sudbury, and to Bro L. C. Mariger, Kanab, & Warren M Johnson at Lee's Ferry, about my Kanab House & Lot I agreed to sell it to him for \$35000 We continued our poultices of cream tonight.

Saturday Jan 17, 1891. I continued in bed all day & applied Sage poultices to my neck all day & cream at night. I received a bill of \$3900 from S. S. Jones & Co for 300 fence posts. I paid \$500 on it & Joseph advanced the other \$400 Geo. A. Shumway came over from his farm & brought some ducks & a rabbit so that I can have some wild meat of which I am very fond. I find the color in my face comes & goes. (p. 166)

Sunday January 18/91. I got up & dressed myself to day, and read my paper The children attended Sunday School & meeting. Apostle H. J. Grant & A. H. Cannon preached. The North Ward was organized this morning and named Pleasant View Ward Bro Alex Gillespie appointed as Bishop, Chas Conrad & Geo Ekins as counselors — We applied the cream to my face & neck.

Monday, January 19, 1891. I got up this morning & dressed myself. There is much color in my face again today and itching about my ears & neck. We put some salve on my face & ears & felt much better. I received letters from Leonard, his little daughter Christie is much better Thomas wife Harriet, was confined of a Son last Friday morning soon after 8 oclock. She had a very hard time the child being taken away with instrument mother & child now doing well. also recd letter from Sophia all well at home. also letter from Bro Saml. J. Sudbury My mind has been somewhat wrought upon lately in regard to our affairs at Washington, D. C. and I wrote a letter to Pres Joseph F. Smith giving him my views. I also wrote to Sophia, Leonard, Bro.

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Sudbury & Bro Cushing. Bro Sudbury tells me that the Presidency purpose starting for Mexico next Saturday. Cloudy today, and likely for more storm. I have my face bandaged up (p. 167) about 9 oclock this evening we heard the cry of "Fire" and the fire bell rang out. I looked through the North window & saw the N. W corner of the Robert's Barn on fire, a little over half a block away. It being a frame lumber building it was soon one mass of flame & the sparks flew high up in the air, pieces of burning shingles falling around faithful hands watched at the windows of the Roberts hotel and as the frames & sash started to blaze put on the water, a bucket brigade also kept the roof of Mr George Sutherlands house wet. The fire brigade after a seeming long time did good work but not until the barn was burned down was the fire extinguished. My family were all out looking at the blaze & hundreds of other citizens gathered but could not render any assistance. on the burning building.

Tuesday January 20/91 Cloudy this morning. I am feeling some better of myself & my face looks better. I received a letter from Bro S. J. Sudbury he had heard from his friend Dr Allen & gave me his advice, which I shall endeavor to follow. Also a letter from Bro. Geo. F. Gibbs at Washington D. C. asking for a copy of telegrams sent to the Presidency. I am using Hyposulphate of Soda & Glycerine on my face at nights & on my ears in the day time. (p. 168)

Wednesday Jan 21st 1891. I felt about the same this morning. I have taken some cold which makes me cough some I still have some color in my face. spent the day walking about & reading. Elizabeth very attentive in waiting upon me & She made some cough syrup which is good. it eased my cough very much. The girls & all at home tonight.

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Thursday, Jan. 22/91. I feel a little more encouraged, and got up earlier I received letter from Sophia all well at home. also from Pres Jos F. Smith in reply to mine to him. He tells me there are so many going in the car to Mexico that I cannot go, as I am not able to go this is all right—also letter from Bro Jas. L. Bunting at Kanab, Jan 14/91 with tax receipt of \$261 for my Terr. Co & School taxes for 18.00 at Kanab Kane Co. also letter from Bro. B. H. Roberts, he is writing a history of Pres John Taylor & he wants my Journal to copy from, which I do not propose to send to him at present. Geo. Shumway came from home & brought me 4 more nice ducks. This has been a fine day. I am trying to attend to myself I also recd a dividend of \$2.00 on my Provo Canyon (p. 169) Road Company s Stock, Dividend #4. I helped Mary this evening to make out her term reports for he(r) Scholars as the Term closes tomorrow.

Friday, January 23, 1891 I think I feel some better of myself, my appetite is good & the color in my face does not show much. I have some itching about my ears & neck; so that I know the humor is not out of my skin & blood yet. my legs appear to be well so that I took off the clothes yesterday. I wrote to Sophia. also to Bro. S. J. Sudbury. Pres Joseph F. Smith & Geo. Reynolds & enclosed Bros Roberts & Gibbs letters to the latter. The children attended a dancing party this evening at the Opera House for the benefit of Bro Giles who has been sick.

Saturday January 24, 1891 I received a letter from Bro Geo Reynolds of the 22 - informing me that the Presidency purposed starting on their trip to Mexico to day but our California friends object to their being absent at this critical time, so the trip has been indeffinetely postponed. I am still attending to myself & feel some improvement. I received a notice of

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\$760 being due from me on the East Union Ditch. I got Joseph to see about it, which he did & found it was correct. The children at home this evening.
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Sunday January 25.1891 A fine day. The children attended Sunday School. Meeting at 2 pm & Ward Meeting at 6.30 pm. Elizabeth also attended meeting this afternoon. In washing myself today I put too much lye water which injured some of my affected parts. I hope, however, to soon have that all right. I slept well tonight.

Monday Jan 26/91 I feel some better this morning. At the request of Eleanor I wrote out an Editorial for her, as she is the Editor this week on the Y. L. M I Ass. paper. the Diadem. George & Elizabeth Ann & children came over today for a Short time. brought me some apples. - I paid Bro Thetcher \$760 in an order on the Store obtained from the Tithing office for which I will obtain a G. T. O. order. this is to pay for my indebtedness on the East Union Ditch. Eleanor & Clara attended the Y. L. M. A. meeting. It came on to Snow after dark and about 2 inches fell.

Tuesday Jan 27. 1891 It has been snowing at intervals all day but considerable of it has melted. I feel about (p. 171) the same, if any better it is slow in coming. I received a letter from Bro S. J. Sudbury of the 25th Prest Geo Q. Cannon gave a dinner to the 1st Presidency, Twelve, Presiding Bishopric, 1st Seven presidents of Seventies & a few others at his School house at Cannon s House last Thursday night. The brethren send me Kind regards. The Equitable Coop Stockholders also had their social gathering the same evening at Mark's Hall. I am feeling some better this evening. the children are all at home. The weather is quite cold.

Wednesday January 28, 1891. I spent a good night, slept better than I have

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for some time past. I received a letter from Bro. Geo. Reynolds also one from Sophia. I wrote to Bro S. J. Sudbury - to Sophia, Geo Reynolds & James Jack sent for an order for \$7⁶⁰ on Provo T. Office also for \$1000 cash and my pass to have the time extended as it expires on the 31st inst also for Elizabeth s money & orders for next month. It has been clear all day, but cold. all at home to night

Thursday January 29. 1891. I am feeling tolerable well this morning feel that I am improving. Received a letter from Leonard also one from Thomas. one from Pres Jos. F. Smith & one from Bro Wm D Johnson Jr. Deming. (p. 172) Joseph came over from the farm for some lumber & returned. From Pres Smiths letter I learn that matters at Washington D C. are in a more easy condition. Ex. Gov. Murray has returned to California in disgust & Gov. A. L. Thomas was ordered home so that ex Gov West is now there alone. The Mexican trip may not come off until after March 4th. I am taking as much exercise as I can by walking in the house

Friday January 30, 1891 It is cloudy & likely for more storm. I wrote for Mary in copying her Plan book for her own use in School teaching. I also wrote to Leonard & Thomas. Joseph came over for 2 loads of Posts with Dave. Geo A Shumway also came over with a cart. Elizabeth Ann is troubled very much with her cough. We decided that Ma shall go over on the train this evening & George will meet her at the platform, for something must be done for Sister. Ma left on the 4²⁵ pm train. It commenced to snow soon after she left & continued all the evening. I received a package of Garden Seeds from Hon John T. Caine. Eleanor attended the Polysophical meeting at the B. Y. academy this evening also George and his wife. (p. 173)

Saturday January 31st 1891. It snowed during the night and at times this

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morning. 6 to 8 inches on the ground. We are all well at home. I spent a good night. I wrote letter to Bro W. D. Johnson Jr. at Deming N. M. also wrote on Mary s School Term book. Received a letter from Bro. L. C. Mariger Kanab in answer to mine of the 16th also on Kanab affairs. The sun shone out about 4 p. m. Ma and Joseph returned at 5¹⁵ pm. Elizabeth Ann was much better of her cold and cough. It snowed again this evening. all at home.

Sunday February 1st 1891. Cloudy and snowing at times during the day. Snow about 12 inches deep. The children went to Sabbath School and evening meeting. Joseph went back over the river this afternoon. Six years ago tonight Presidents John Taylor & Geo. Q. Cannon & myself went into exile in consequence of the injust administration of the laws relating to Polygamy and Unlawful cohabitation. and these brethren being sought for by the enemy deemed it proper to retire from public life, so as to attend to the affairs of the Church unmolested. Pres Taylor lived 2 1/2 (p. 174) years and died. Pres Cannon went to prison in Sept 1888. and I am yet in exile. but under the blessings of the Lord at my own home with my family, my health is much improved and I hope to soon be well enough to attend to my official duties.

Monday Feb 2nd 1891 This is a fine clear day the sun shining bright all day. considerable of the Snow melted. Joseph & George A. Shumway came over from the farm & staid a short time. I received a letter from Bro Jas Jack enclosing \$1000 cash and a Tithing order for \$7.⁶⁰ also with Ma's cash and order for February. The children all went to the conjoint meeting of the Y. M. & Y L. M I A. this evening. I wrote on Mary s School plan book. weather cold

Tuesday Feb 3. 1891. Clear & cold today. Early this morning the barn containing horses &c. belonging to the West Coop Inst. & owned by Bro S. P. Eggertsen

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was destroyed by fire. 4 horses. 1 cow. 1 calf 2 wagons. & harvesting machinery. Hay &c. were burned. (p. 175) I received letters from Bro S. J. Sudbury and Sophia all well. I also obtained a statement of my tithings at the Provo Tithing Office from 1884 to 1890. each year. Bro Jas W. Bean sent it at my request. I wrote on Mary's School plan book. Bro. Sudbury tells me that Bro Reynolds is very anxious for my return he is so crowded with work and the Presidency are very busy. Joseph came over expecting that I would accompany him to the farm. It is so very cold that I concluded it was not safe for me to venture out at night time, especially as there is so much snow on the ground I cannot walk about out of doors. So he returned this evening. We are all at home tonight and the weather is very cold.

Wednesday Feb 4. 1891. Last night was the coldest of the season and continued so this morning -- I wrote to Sophia - and upon Marys School plan book. It was a little warmer this afternoon - very good sleighing. Elizabeth Ann & Children came over this afternoon. We are all at home this evening. I made an order on the Excelsior Mills, Provo, for 20 bushels of Wheat to be ground for use in my family at Provo (p. 176)

Thursday, Feb 5, 1891 We are all well. I feel to be improving. Wrote letter for Joseph & George A Shumway to come over tomorrow & Kill the 2 pigs also finished writing in Mary's School plan book. Ma rode out with George in a cutter for a short time this afternoon. We are all at home this evening. The weather is quite cold.

Friday February 6. 1891 I am feeling tolerable well this morning. spent a good night. The boys did not come. so Elizabeth Ann and the Children left for home at 130. Joseph arrived at 2 p.m. George met Sister at the River & went home with her. I wrote to Sophia. also to Bro S. J. Sudbury and

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James, Jack for my pass. Joseph & son George Killed both of the pigs this afternoon and dressed them.. The girls & Joseph attended a Supper & dance party at the B. Y. academy tonight.

Saturday Feb 7, 1891. All well this morning. I cut up for salting both of the pigs Killed yesterday. I have not done such a thing for several years, felt better for my work. also done some odd jobs about the house. This had been a busy day. Joseph, Mary, Clara & Wilford went to a dance in 2nd Ward.
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Sunday Feb 8, 1891 Very cold this morning. I spent a good night. most of the children attended Sabbath School. George A. Shumway Elizabeth Ann & children came over & spent the day & staid all night. The boys & girls attended the afternoon meeting & evening Ward meeting. We sat up rather late in conversation.

Monday Feb 9, 1891 I concluded all being well that I would try and return to the city next Thursday night. Elizabeth Ann being encient desired that I would anoint her and bless her. I consecrated a bottle of oil and anointed her & blessed her. Bro Geo A Shumway, her husband assisting. Geo Shumway & Joseph wished me to tell them how I wanted them to work together this coming summer. I requested them to confer together and find out how they wanted to work & let me know, then I might counsel them; but at present I was not fully acquainted with affairs over at the farm to say what they should do. George, Sister, & children left for home after dinner. & Joseph after going to the mill for some flour & to the Depot for Coal also went to the farm this afternoon. The weather is very cold. I am feeling tolerable well of myself for the past 3 evenings Elizabeth has rubbed me good with alcohol & I feel that it has benifited me. Eleanor & Clara attended the meeting of

the Y. L. M I A at the ward Meeting House this evening. (p. 178)

Tuesday Feb 10, 1891. Quite cold this morning, but clear, all well. I received a letter from Leonard of the 4th inst. they were all well. George went to the depot and there learned that the night trains have been arriving on time the past week. I wrote to Bro S. J. Sudbury to arrange for my arrival on Thursday night. I also wrote to Leonard. I received a letter from Bro. W. C. Spence enclosing a permit for me to procure a reduced fare ticket as he could not get my pass renewed Mr. Bennett being from the City. my ticket will cost me \$135 all at home this evening.

Wednesday Feb 11, 1891 I am feeling tolerable well this morning. my wife Elizabeth is quite unwell she is suffering from an attack on her lungs and in her head with vomiting she is quite sick, at her request I administered to her and got a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. she rested and felt some better towards night. I sent a telegram to Bro S. J. Sudbury as follows. "Yours of the eighth received. arrange for Thursday night." Bro Chas H Wilken who came down on this evenings train from the City called with Sheriff Thomas Fowler this evening, and stayed an hour or two in conversation. I was glad to meet them as I had not seen Bro Fowler (p. 179) for several years. Bro Wilkins informs me that the brethren of the First Presidency are all well. I had talked with him before I left the City about trying to make arrangements to give myself up & meet the consequences in the Courts I felt that I could do so at Provo. and he promised to help me. He told me this evening that he had talked with Prest Geo. Q. Cannon & Jos F Smith about it and they had said I must not do it at present and for him to tell me so This was quite satisfactory to me as I hope to be always willing to observe the counsel of my brethren as I have been in the past.

Thursday Feb. 12, 1891. Elizabeth is feeling much better this morning although

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she has considerable pain in her chest. I am also feeling well a fine clear day. Bro Chas H Wilcken called & I conversed with him on affairs at head quarters. He went home by this evenings train. Geo A. Shumway, Elizabeth Ann & children also Joseph & George came over from the farm. I got Joseph to obtain my ticket & he found the train was on time. This evening I had the family together & talked to them. Mary & Eleanor has had some misunderstanding with each other. I got them together & they agreed to become reconciled. all felt well. I blessed Elizabeth. also administered to little Flossie At the time for leaving I blessed each one, [&]the boys accompanied me to the train. we waited a few minutes for its arrival I got on board & started on time 1220 am. and arrived (p. 180) at the Depot Salt Lake City at 145 there I met Bro Appolus Driggs who had come with his horse & buggy to meet me, and we drove to the Gardo House where I arrived as the City Hall Clock was striking two. I soon went to my room which was heated up, so that I had to open a window & door to get air to breath. I soon got to bed.

Friday, February 13th 1891. I arose at 730 and attended to myself. The brethren of the First Presidency were pleased to see me and thought I looked well, & hoped for my permanent recovery. Bro Reynolds was also glad to see me. I took my place at the Presidents table & in the office and attended to the labors of the day. I wrote to Elizabeth also to Sophia. there were 13 Letters recd & 14 recommends signed. A copy of the report of the Attorney General of the U S. also of U S Dist Atty C S Varian was published in the papers this evening. on the Church Suits. &c complaints were filed in the 3rd Dist Court today to eschiat the Cannon House, Whitney Comer & a small piece of land adjoining & these places even put under attachment by the

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U S Dept Marshals Pres Geo Q Cannon & F M Lyman left for Ephraim (p. 181) this afternoon to attend the Sanpete Stake Conference tomorrow & Sunday. Leonard called on me this afternoon. The brethren left this evening & I went to Sophias & found all well. I rec letter from C A C. & M M Johnson at Lees Ferry.

Saturday Feb 14. 1891 Prests Woodruff & Smith were at the office a part of the day to meet with Bp H. B. Clawson & Col T. Trumbo. 18 letters were received and 20 recommends signed. I spent the day in reading &c. Sister Jos. Watson called for a short time. also my Son Thomas, he tells me that his wife Harriet is still very feeble does not gain strength since her confinement, and wished me to go and administer to her, which I promised to do on Monday evening if I could get a team to go with, this was satisfactory to him. I fixed a pair of crutches for Willie he having got his ankle bruised in coasting.

Sunday Feb 15/91. It is quite warm today & thawing. spent the day in conversation &c. Sister Barratt called this evening & spent an hour., I saw her safely home, and returned to the Gardo House. Bro Jos F. Smith soon joined me.

Monday Feb 16, 1891. The First Presidency at the office except Pres Cannon at the office. (sic). 17 letters recd & 24 recommends signed. (p. 182) Elder John E. Carlisle called & was honorably released from returning to the Liverpool office to work on the Millennial Star he having been released to return home by Pres B. Young to attend to some Estate matter. Bro Wm H King returned from Washington D C. this morning & called at the office to report his labors while away. He feels confident that all the inimical legislation sought to be passed against us will not now be called up this session. if it does our friends are on the alert to object. Senator Edmunds

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and Judge Blatchford are very anxious for the church property confiscation bill to pass Pres Geo Q Cannon returned from Manti at 1130 am Elder Heber J Grant returned from San Francisco. Cal this morning & called to report that he had secured a loan of \$2500000 for 6 mo. \$2500000 for 1 year. \$2500000 for 18 mo & \$2500000 for 2 years at 8% per annum. He had gone to San Francisco for this purpose in behalf of the church. This was approved. In the 3rd Dist Court today Bro James Sharp. John Sharp Jr. Geo E Wallace & Thos G Webber were ruled off the Grand Jury on account of their belief. I received a letter from Elizabeth she's much (p. 183) better in her health and the rest of the family are well. It came on a severe Snow Storm, with wind about 6 oclock & continued about 2 hours then cleared up Elder Geo Reynolds is at home sick today. Elder Geo Dunford fell off a ladder in his store on Saturday afternoon & fractured his skull. he is not expected to live.

Tuesday Feb 17, 1891. The First Presidency at the office. 7 letters recd 19 recommends signed. Bros Jas Jack Nephi W. Clayton & Isaac Clayton called and submitted a telegram from Mr Megan with whom arrangements had been made to sell the Inland Salt Companys Plant for \$200,00000 if made before March 1/91 Mr Megan now proposes a change in the payments. It appears that Bro N W Clayton is not now and never has been in favor of selling & this transaction was made while he was sick. He submitted plans vz To Cease all the other salt works for a term with a view to purchasing them. & then to control the Salt Market. Upon consideration it or us decided that no change shall be made in the first offer to Mr Megan and if the proposition made to him can be honorably revoked that it be so revoked. Pres Lorenzo Snow came down from Brigham City & called (p. 184) Bro N. V. Jones called with Bro C. H. Wilcken and conferred with the Presidency in regard to his cases before

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the 3rd Dist Court. one for adultery & 1 for U. C. It has been arranged if he will plead guilty to U. C. the other case will be dismissed. This was thought the best case for him to pursue. & he left with that intuition. when his case was called this afternoon he plead guilty to U. C. & the other case was dismissed to be sentenced on Saturday next Bro Frank J. Cannon. L. W. Shurtleff & H H Rolapp called today and reported that the Liberal Party in Ogden have divided broken up there party & are now organizing on Political lines. The Republicans have organized a Repub. Club. and the Democrats are going to do so, and they want the People's Party to join one or either of these parties. They wish to get the counsel of the First Presidency as this is a serious question just now. also in regard as to which party the "Standard" shall affiliate-- The matter was held under advisement until Thursday morning at 10 oclock at which time these & other brethren may be present. Bishop Myron Tanner of Provo called & expressed his wishes to make a visit to his native State (N. Y) (p. 185) next april and get the consent of the Presidency. This was granted also that he have a missionary certificate entitling him to preach as opportunity offers. Four notes were signed by the brethren of the First Presidency. to meet the loan obtained and depos(i)ted by Bro H J Grant on Monday. These notes are also to be endorsed by 12 of our business men. Bro George Dunford died this evening from his injuries. he has not been conscious since he fell. Leonard called on me today & reported all well. Bro C. H. Wilcken brought his horse & buggy and took me to Leonards. where I met them all pleased to see me. Teenie however was in bed not feeling well, she had symptoms of a miscarriage & was trying to Keep quiet. after staying a few minutes we went to Thomas' found Harriet still in bed but feeling more hopeful since Sunday as she had been able to take some food. Leonard was

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with us. after staying a short time, we met offered prayer I being mouth then Bro Wilcken anointed and I was mouth in administering to Harriet. she felt revived & thought she would get along. Her mother is waiting upon her. The baby is a nice child, & doing well on a bottle Harriet has not milk enough for him. His name is (p. 186) Roscoe Self Nuttall, blessed when 8 days old. Thomas expects to get work in a day or two at the City Electric Car Shops. We then went through the House which is very convenient & comfortable thence to Leonards where I anointed Teenie and Bro Wilcken was mouth in administering to her. after which we drove back to the Cardo.

Wednesday February 18, 1891. The First Presidency at the office. 7 letters & 23 recommends. Bro B. H. Roberts called and reported he had been writing a history of the life of the late President John Taylor and wished to submit his manuscript to the Presidency for review., examination correction &c after consideration of the brethren they being crowded & not able to give their personal attention to this matter on motion of Pres Geo Q Cannon, Elders John Jacques and L John Nuttall were appointed to meet with Bro Roberts and examine carefully his manuscript and report. Bro Roberts said he would be ready in about one week to commence the reading. The brethren asked me if I could attend to this. I said I would do what (p. 187) they required of me at any time when it would not interfere with my dayly official work. I attended the usual meeting of the Directors of Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Company at 1 pm. I wrote to Elizabeth this afternoon and handed the letter to Bro C. H. Wilken who goes to Provo on the afternoon train & said he would call. I also walked out this evening with Bro A Driggs, down main St & up the other side and around some 12 blocks & felt better for my exercise. Sophia called for a short time yesterday & handed me some 7 handkerchiefs

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which she had bought at my request to make a present to Bro Jas A Cushing for his wife. He has been very Kind to me & I want to partially acknowledge my obligations in that way. I wrote a letter to Bro John I. Hart at Deming N. M for President Woodruff. I also called in at the Presidents office tonight for a short time, it is a long time since I was there.

Thursday Feb 19/91 The First Presidency at the office. 7 letters recd 5 recommends singed. Several letters were read & considered & answered Elder F M Lyman staid with us last night & left for Provo this morning enroute to Manassa, Colorado. (p. 188) The First Presidency met with Bros S. W. Shurtliff F. C. Flygare, Frank J Cannon, H. H. Rolapp. Thos D Dee & Ben E Rich at the Gardo, on the Ogden Political organization &c. Apostles H. J. Grant & A H Cannon. Bps. Preston, Burton & Winder & myself also present. Bro C. H. Wilcken returned from Provo this morning & called he found my family all well & left my letter at the meeting which met at 1030 continued until 130 most of the brethren spoke, after which on motion of Pres Jos. F. Smith it was decided as the sense of this meeting that the brethren at Ogden go on and organize into Political parties as submitted at this meeting. Pres Jos. F. Smith also moved that it is the sense of this meeting that the Standard should be a Republican paper. Sec & carried. Pres Smith gave his views that the Salt Lake Herald being a Democratic paper, the Republicans should have the Standard. I attended the prayer meeting of the First Presidency & apostles at 2 pm. present Prests Woodruff, Cannon & Smith. Apostles Grant & A H Cannon Apostles F. M. Lyman, J. H. Smith & H. J. Grant were appointed to investigate matters of difference which have arisen in the San Luis Stake. (p. 189) Some complaints having been presented against Pres Silas S. Smith. I walked out this evening for an hour. (19 blocks). Bro A

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Driggs accompanied me. I asked Bro W. A. Rossiter today if he would sign Sophias assessment Rolls for 1891 as Agent he said he would & I made them out. putting the valuation of the house at \$50000 & her furniture at \$5000 I handed to Bro Cushing the pocket handkerchiefs I had purchased for him.

Friday Feb 20, 1891 The First Presidency at the office. 12 letters recd 17 recommends signed. Bro Geo. L. Farrell of Smithfield called I was pleased to see him. I recd a letter from Joseph, and wrote to Elizabeth. I also sent a Postal Note of \$200 to Mrs Colby Washington D. C. for Sophia. also sent \$1.00 to St. Louis Bro Mickin a carpenter on the Temple Block died this evening. The brethren of the Presidency left this evening. I went to Sophias. I have been troubled in my face again today with itching. Bro Sudbury recommended that I take a lobelea emetic and promised to help me in taking it which I agreed to. (p. 190)

Saturday Feb 21st/91 The red color has come out on my face again, I sent for some Slippery Elm Bark & made some poultices for it. Bro Sudbury called this evening and I took an emetic which came along easy. If he is well enough he will call again tomorrow and give me another one.

Sunday Feb 22/91. I am poulticing my face & feel well of myself I think the color has gone down some. Bro Sudbury is not well enough to attend to my emetic. he called however. The weathers very cold. I concluded not to return to the office tonight but continue my poultices.

Monday Feb 23/91 This day is observed as a holiday. Washington's birthday. Prests Geo. Q. Cannon & Jos F Smith were at the office part of the day. Pres Smith all day. I continued my poultices. and felt much better this evening. I lost my finger ring last night but Sophia found it this afternoon out in the lot. It came on to rain to night & Snow. I went to the G. H. in the

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rain & Snow. found Pres Smith there. I received 2 letters from Elizabeth this afternoon Bro Cushing brought them to me. all are well at home. for which I am truly grateful to the Lord. (p. 191)

Tuesday Feb 24th 1891. The First Presidency at the office. 10 letters received 5 recommends signed. I poulticed my face last night. There is not much of that red color in my face this morning. I wrote to Elizabeth in reply to her letters. Leonard called & informed me that Teenie is up and around again & feeling well. also that Harriet is gaining in her strength the Children are all well. It is understood that Frank J. Cannon will be the Editor & manager of the Standard a Republican paper at Ogden and John Q Cannon will be the Editor & manager of the Commercial at Ogden a Democratic Paper. as the Democrats want him to take that position. and Ex Judge Henderson has stated that these parties intend to bury those questions on Church Membership with Politics &c and adhere strictly to party lines & principles. Bro Geo H. Crosby late Bishop of Leeds, now of Union, Apache Co. Arizona came out of the Pen yesterday having served 3 months sentence & he called today. he is well in health. a donation of \$4000 in Tithing Produce & \$500 cash was made in his behalf to help him get home. Bro Wm Leigh of Cedar City returned from Gt Britain (p. 192) this morning & called he reports his labors in Wales & brought several copies of the Mill. Star for brethren. also lists of accounts due at the Liverpool Office with bills for this same for certain Elders. Bro George W. Hill of Salt Lake City died this morning between 11 & 12 oclock of pneumonia. A telegram was received from Bro F. S. Richards & John T Caine. Washington D C. in regard to interview by Bro Richards and attorney General Miller on the Church Suits. After Bro Richards explanation of the final decree by the Court, the Atty General

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said if the facts were as stated he would dismiss the new Suits & he would enquire of Ex Solicitor General Jenks on that matter. Mr Jenks had made a very satisfactory report which was expected would fully settle that question. rec. telegrams from Gen. Geo. B. Williams we also learn that everthing has been satisfactorily arranged with the Attorney General regarding the New Suits and that Congress will not consider forfeiture bill.' There was a meeting of the Stockholders of Deseret & Salt Lake Manf & Canal Co. to consider the signing of a contract with the Deseret people as to the taking of water from the dam. The contract was not correct so it was not signed. (p. 193) but was put into hands for correction. It also appears that a great many of the Stockholders have not paid their assessments. arrangements were made to have the proper collections made. I attended at the Theatre tonight with Pres Jos. F. Smith & Bro C. H. Wilcken to hear the National Sweedish Ladies Concert & we were much pleased.

Wednesday Feb 25th 1891. The First Presidency at the office 18 letters recd 11 recommends signed. Bro Geo Reynolds is at home sick. Bro Andrew Olson, of Beaver, a missionary to Scandinavia called & desired to be anointed and administered to. He is deformed in his back & body & he wanted to be restored to proper shape & become physically strong. By direction of Pres Woodruff I anointed Bro Olsen on his head, back, ribs and breast & Pres Geo. Q. Cannon was mouth in prayer. Pres Woodruff assisting. Pres Woodruff purchased 100 tickets to the Stephens Tabernacle Concert next Friday for distribution to the Presidency & Twelve & others I attended a meeting of the Directors of Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co. at 1 p.m.-- The Presidency of the Salt Lake Stake were instructed to move quietly among the people and advise them cautiously of the changes pending in political affairs in this Territory as to

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their becoming Republicans or Democrats. (p. 194) Bro Seymour B Young called and asked me about my health. I told him about the color in my face. He said he would prescribe something for me. I spoke to him about using Carbolie Salve & sulphur on my face, which he said would be good and for me to try it also to take from 5 to 10 drops of Tincture of Iron 3 times a day after eating and see how I got along. I also arranged to get a demi John of water from Becks Hot springs, to drink & wash my face in. Bro Wilcken furnished the horse & buggy & Bro Jos Christensen went for the water. I also arranged through Bro Wicken to get 100 lbs of Red Top seed for \$800. In getting the Hot Spring water Bro Christensen broke the Demi john, so he only brought me about 1 gallon of water. I drank some of it and washed myself in some. I read the papers this evening being alone. I used the carbolie Salve on my face tonight.

Thursday Feb 26/91. The First Presidency at the office 12 letters recd and 36 recommends signed. My face has some redness this morning. Pres L. W. Shurtliff & Bp Edwin Stratford of Ogden called & the political situation at Ogden was talked over. they were requested to use their influence (p. 195) to keep both parties as near even as they could. It was decided that John Q. Cannon take the position of Editor of the Commercial as a Democratic Paper and as the leading Democrats want his name as Editor at the head of the Column it was agreed to have it so. Pres Woodruff & Geo Q Cannon attended the funeral services of the late Bro Geo W. Hill at the 22nd ward meeting House at 1 pm. The 100 Tickets for the Stephens Tabernacle Concert were distributed I got 6. Sent 2 to Sophia. Bro W C Spence handed me an annual Pass on the Rio Grande Western R R. At the request of Pres Jos F Smith & others of the brethren I made out a list of articles they want from Washington D C and I wrote a letter to Bro Geo F. Gibbs to make the purchase & bring the things

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the bill amounted to \$213.70 I expect to get a Bank draft tomorrow. I also wrote to Elizabeth. I have had some head ache this afternoon. I attended the Theatre tonight with Pres Jos F. Smith. I went into Pres Woodruff's box he & members of his family present. Keralfys 'Water Queen' a spectacular play.

Friday. Feb 27, 1891. The First Presidency at the office. 9 letters recd 10 recommends signed. It came on to Snow about 730 am & continued till 1045 melted about as it fell (sic). (p. 196) Bros Jas Jack & N. W. Clayton called a letter had been received from Mr F. W. Meegan of Kansas City Feb 24/91 agreeing to take the Inland Salt Cos plant and to pay \$100,000 cash. \$50,000 in one year secured by the Note 8% bearing note of the company and \$50,000 worth of Stock on a valuation of \$200,000 for all the Stock. The company to be free of all indebtedness excepting the \$50,000 bonds, and the Inland Salt Co. to have on hand piled up in good condition 30,000 tons of Salt also to secure the whole of the Stock. action on the acceptance or rejection of this offer was deferred for 2 or 3 days. Pres Cannon & Smith & myself also Bro N. W. Clayton are not in favor of selling at all. I received a letter from Elizabeth and wrote to her. I also wrote to my son Joseph. & sent my certificate of Water Stock in the Lake Bottom Canal Co. Leonard called all well at his home. I gave him some tickets to go to the Tabernacle concert also sent 2 Tickets to Dr. Ferguson. I received \$66.00 on Dividend a/c. from Z. C. M.I. also \$3000 on Same a/c from Elizabeth & sent \$10000 to be deposited on Savings a/c. to Z. S. B. & T. Co. Bank. I also got my certificate for 75 Shares of Bullion Buet (Beck) & Champion Cos Stock \$255. from W. J. Beattie.

(p. 197) I obtained a draft on New York for \$23.20 favor of Geo. F. Gibbs and mailed it in the letter to him which I wrote yesterday. Pres Jos. F. Smith & myself accompanied by Bro. C. H. Wilcken went to the Tabernacle concert tonight and sat in the gallery in the Seats reserved for the Presidency &

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families & others. Leonard & Annie sat by me. I enjoyed the concert very much. & returned to the Gardo alone. Pres Smith went home.

Saturday Feb 28/91. Pres Geo. Q. Cannon at the office this morning he attended to his personal affairs. 8 letters were received and 6 recommends signed. President Woodruff came to the office at 245 & remained a short time. I received letter box pills from Ballard, Snow Co. St Louis, which I sent for. Leonard called and brought my clean clothes. It has been raining most of the day. Joseph Harris Merrill & wife were blessed & set apart for their mission to Samoa. Pres Geo. Q. Cannon mouth. I went to Sophias this evening.

Sunday March 1, 1891 This is the 84th anniversary of President Wilford Woodruffs birthday. He attended the morning services at the Large Tabernacle of the Salt Lake Stake Conference (p. 198) and was taken with a pain in his stomach. he called at the Gardo House got a little Brandy. composition &c and then went home. Pres Geo Q. Cannon attended the conference meetings and spoke in the afternoon. He also had an interview with Bp. H. B. Clawson & Col. Isaac Trumbo. I commenced taking my pills today. It rained most of the afternoon and during the evening. I went to the Gardo in the rain. Pres Jos F. Smith soon joined me. I gave my son Willie a good talking to as he is 8 years old tomorrow & we want him to be baptized as soon as we can.

Monday March 2/91 Pres Woodruff is feeling much better this morning but did not come to the office. He had taken more cold. Pres Geo. Q. Cannon & Jos F. Smith at the office 17 letters received & 19 recommends signed. A meeting of the Stockholders of the Bullion, Beck and Champion Mining Company was held today at 10 a. m. Pres Geo. Q. Cannon attended & was elected on the Board. Bro Joseph H. Thurber of Richfield called on his way to his mission to the Sandwich Islands. His wife also came afterwards. The officers are after

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him again for infractions of the Edmunds-Tucker law. He feels well. I had a nice talk with him. Pres Geo Q Cannon & Jos F. Smith had a brief interview with (p. 199) Bp Clawson & Col Isaac Trumbo. It was decided to postpone the contemplated trip of the First Presidency to Mexico until after the April Conference. It having been suggested that the Church Suits will require the attendance of the brethren, at least they should not be away. It was proposed to start tomorrow & arrangements were made to that effect. Explorer Stanley is expected at this City next Sunday & Bro John W Young telegraphed requesting a committee of 4 be appointed to entertain him & party at the Templeton Hotel & he will bear the expenses. He suggested H. B. Clawson, Wm Jennys, Ned W Young & S. L. Young for the Committee. It has rained some today & been more or less cloudy. Leonard called for a Short time & took my dirty clothes. I walked out this evening with Bro. Sudbury. we called at the residence of Bro Geo. B. Wallace & spent a short time with him & family in conversation. I felt better for my walk. We received word this evening that Pres Woodruff was worse & wanted Pres Cannon to call & see him. He did so also Bro C. H. Wilcken a telegram was recd from Bro F. S. Richards at Washington D C. on Church Suit matters & to have Mr Varian not make any report to the Atty genl until Bro Richards return & seeing him.

Tuesday March 3/91. Bro Wilcken called & reported that Pres Woodruff was feeling better this morning, but did not feel like coming to the office. Bro Andrew Smith was taken to Pres Woodruffs residence (p. 200) to wait upon him. Prests Geo. Q. Cannon & Jos F. Smith were at the office 9 letters received & 6 recommends signed. Bro. H. B. Clawson went to Provo this morning to confer with U. S. Dist. Atty. Varian in regard to the Church Suits &c. I asked Bro Spence to get me a reduced fare permit for Elizabeth to come from Provo &

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return. I wrote to Elizabeth but as Bro Spence failed to get the permit I did not send the letter. He promised to get it in the morning Bro Sudbury introduced me to his friend Dr. Allen of Ogden. this evening. The Dr. looked at my face & neck & said that the trouble in my face was not Erysepelas. he called it Erythema or a flush of the Skin. he said I needed to take more iron for my blood, as my blood was thin. also to see that my Kidneys were in active operation He prescribed for my Kidneys as follows: Take 1 oz Buchee pour onto it 1 pint of boiling water & let it simmer so as to get out the strength, strain & take 2 tablespoonsful 3 times a day. also for the Blood. Take 1 pint of sugar & 1 pint of boiling water (p. 201) Mix, add 4 oz Tincture of iron and take 1 teaspoon ful 3 times a day. Wash my face and neck with a little Cannon Washing Soda in the water. continue this treatment and I would soon recover. I walked out this evening with Pres Smith to his house. Bro Appollos Driggs also along. Bro. Driggs & myself then walked around for an hour & back to the Gardo.

Wednesday March 4/91 Pres Woodruff had a bad time part of the night but afterwards slept & he is much better this morning than he was yesterday morning. Pres Geo. Q. Cannon called to see him. Pres Geo. Q. Cannon & Jos F. Smith at the office 14 letters were received & 24 recommends signed Bro H. B. Clawson called & reported his visit with Mr. Varian at Provo. Mr. V. will not make any report to Washington D. C. until after he has seen Bro F. S. Richards. Bro H. B. Clawson was requested to take charge of the proper entertainment of Mr. Henry Stanley the African Explorer & party while at Salt Lake City. I received a letter from Elizabeth of Mar 2nd and wrote more in my letter to her & sent a permit to obtain a ticket for \$270 (p. 202) Pres Cannon & Smith attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Coop Wagon & Machine

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Co at 1030 a. m. Prest Wm Budge & Bro Walter Hoge of Bear Lake called & reported Bro Hoge's labors at Boise, Idaho during the session of the Legislature. There was no disposition to pass any law against the Saints until some leading men from Bingham, Bearlake, Cassia & Oneida Counties went there and demanded some inimical legislation to deprive the Mormons from voting they brought informers to bear so that the law was passed. There are great many who consider the law unconstitutional and it will be so declared by the U. S. Supreme Court. Bro Budge will try & obtain the legal opinions of leading lawyers & if necessary get up one or more test cases. A bill of \$56500 for expenses was presented & allowed. The following telegram was received. "Washington D. C. March 4/91 "All proposed Anti-Mormon Legislation for"Utah failed except provision districting "Territory for members of the Legislature. This was "amended by striking out Governor of Utah and "Secretary, leaving Utah commission to do work. "John T. Caine"/ The 51st Session (p. 203) of the Congress of the United States adjourned at 12 oclock noon. So the country breathes again without fear from their actions. Pres Smith, & myself accompanied by Bro C. H. Wilcken went to the Theatre this evening and saw & heard the noted singer Madam Emma Juch in Grand English Opera "Tannhauser" by Richard Wagner. There was some very fine singing. I went to Pres Woodruff's box Bro Wilcken reported that the U S Deputy Cuddeback. arrived at the City today for the purpose of arresting Bro Jos. H Thurber as he left on the train, but as Bro Thurber is now at San Francisco Cal, the Deputies visit was in vain.

Thursday March 5, 1891 It snowed considerable during the night & continued this morning. Pres Woodruff spent a good night and is feeling much improved this morning in his health. Pres Geo Q Cannon & Jos F. Smith at the office

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13 letters received & 12 recommends signed. I attended a meeting of the Directors of the Deseret Telegraph Co of which I am a member. Supt W B Dougall had received an offer from Mr Cannett to take an option until May 15/91 to purchase the entire system of the Deseret Telegraph Company and pay (p. 204) \$1200 per mile including office appurenous supplies on hand &c. after consideration it appeared that \$10,00000 would be all to be realized from a sale and the Receiver would take that. If the lines were Kept up it will be at the expense of the Church—Pres Smith moved that it is the sense of this meeting that the company do not sell at present nor during the next 3 months so that some understanding may be had as to the probable cost of conducting the System. Sec & carried. I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency & apostles at 2 pm. present. Prests. Cannon & Smith , apostles John W. Taylor & A. H. Cannon & myself. Bro Sudbury procured the Buchee & Tincture of Iron for me & he & sister Sudbury made the syrup &c.

Friday March 6, 1891. We learn that Pres Woodruff is feeling much better in his health. hopes to be with us on Monday next. Prests Cannon & Smith at the office. 8 letters recd 12 recommends signed a telegram was sent to Apostle Geo Teasdale Diaz, Mexico, informing him of the postponement of the trip of the President & party. (p. 205) a number of letters were read & answered. I sent for Bro McHenry this morning and he promised to meet my wife Elizabeth at the Denver Depot this afternoon & come for me this evening. Leonard also called. At 3⁴⁰ pm. I received the following telegram "No word received since Saturday. how "are all" Elizabeth C. Nuttall." To which I answered as follows: "Sent letter Wednesday night. "Expected arrival here this afternoon. "Will be at depot Saturday morning "eleven oclock train." L J N" I cannot account for their not getting my letter with permit for fare enclosed.

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I commenced taking the Buchee and Iron as prescribed by Dr. Allen, this morning. I wrote to C. A. C. Bro McHenry called for me this evening & I went to Leonards found all well.

Saturday March 7, 1891 Elizabeth did not arrive until after 12 oclock the train being late. Bro McHenry waited for her & brought her down. She is well in health & so are all at home. Elizabeth got some Lobelia herb & made a tea of it & washed my face which is still quite red. spent the day & evening in conversation.

Sunday March 8/91 Pres Jos F. Smith is at his home sick with La Gripp. Pres Woodruff much better on health. The great Explorer Henry M Stanley, wife & party arrived this morning & Mr Stanley called on Pres Cannon at the Gardo House this afternoon. for a short time. Elizabeth washed my face several times with the Lobelia tea. I wrote to Joseph about a plow, & work on the farm & Elizabeth took the letter. Bro McHenry called for me this evening & I rode with him to the Gardo. Elizabeth purposes going home tomorrow

Monday March 9. 1891 Pres Woodruff & wife & Pres Geo. Q. Cannon accompanied Mr Henry M. Stanley & party in a special car to Garfield Beach this morning afterwards they were at the Gardo. 13 letters received 37 recommends signed Pres Jos F. Smith is still very sick. Bro Jacob Gates called he is 80 years old today He talked on the early times in the Church (p. 207) I had a letter written author(izi)ng Bro W. C. Spence to go East and negotiate in the interest of our Immigration from Europe. On invitation of Pres Woodruff I accompanied him and wife Emma to his box in the Theatre this evening to hear the lecture of Mr Henry M Stanley on his explorations in Africa I was very much interested. I think it was the most finished lecture I have attended I snowed some this afternoon & rain this evening. I drew an order on Bro

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Jack for 500 to send to St Louis for pills.

Tuesday March 10/91 Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Smith still sick at home. but some better. 12 letters received 27 recommends signed I rained most of the night & came on to snow about 7 a m & continued until about 11 a. m. Bro F. S. Richards who returned from Washington D. C. on Sunday called & reported his labors while away. He explained the course taken to defeat the Territorial apportionment Bill and of his interviews with Atty Genl Miller. Solicitor Genl Taft on the Church Suits. also of his visit to ex Solicitor Genl Jenks and to Col Jas. O Broadhead The attorney Genls letter to Mr Jenks (p. 208) this reply were read. & It was decided that Bro H. B. Clawson see U. S. Atty C. S. Varian in regard to this matter before he sends his reply to Atty Genl Miller. The names of 24 Trustees for the "Young University were selected. Bro Nephi Clayton called & submitted a letter from Mr Meegan in which he accepts the Inland Salt Cos offer to sell & he purposes coming out to take the property on or before April 1st 1891. I am not in favor of selling & on talking with Bro Clayton find he is not in favor of selling we are in hopes something will transpire to break up the trade. As a people we have opened up many enterprises and as soon as they begin to pay the outsiders come along & buy them for half their value. I am opposed to such things. but if the company sells I will be obliged to do so also. I received a letter from my son Joseph. Bro Spence purposes starting East tomorrow afternoon Bro W. B. Dougall will accompany him in the interest of the Deseret Telegraph Company. (p. 209)

Wednesday, March 11, 1891. Prest Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Smith still at home but some better in his health 19 letters received 39 recommends signed. I met Bro Wm M. Brimley this morning he had come to see

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the Presidency for Council in his case. He has been in Canada and feels if he can have any show in the courts he will come out. The Presidency talked with him. Bro Moses Thatcher called and the purchase of a large tract of land in Chihuahua Mexico was considered. a telegram was sent to Bro A. F. Macdonald for further information. I attended a meeting of the Directors of Z. S. B. & T. company at 1 p m. Bros Heber J Grant & John Henry Smith returned from Colorado this evening. I received letters from Elizabeth & Joseph - I wrote to both of them and sent a money order for \$500 to the Ballard Snow Linement Co. of St Louis for Pills. Bro Spence started for the East on Church Immigration business this afternoon. I walked out with Bro Sudbury this evening to the residence of Pres Jos F Smith. found him quite unwell (p. 210) but better than he has been. some others of his family are also sick.

Thursday, March 12, 1891. Presidents Woodruff & Cannon at the office. 8 letters recd & 18 recommends signed. Bro John B. Milner of Provo called and stated that Jos D. Jones of Provo, Probate Judge & others of the heirs of the late Captain Dan Jones purposed entering suit in the U. S. Dist. Court at Provo, to recover certain real estate situate(d) in Ephraim which had been willed by their uncle Edward Jones, deceased, He made his will in Nov 25, 1874 & died in April 1875. The names of all the heirs were Ruth Jones, Brigham Jones, J. Dan Jones, Claudia Jones, Robert Jones & Edward Jones. some of these are members of the church and may not be in sympathy with the move. I was deemed proper to write to apostle A H Lund & learn from him the facts respecting the Real Estate & see if a compromise cannot be effected instead of going into court. I spoke to Bro Milner about the deed from Richard Breherton for the Temple lots at Provo. He said he made out all the deeds and

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acknowledged them & (p. 211) paid R Breherton for this Temple lot deed partly out of his personal funds & when the deed was signed it was put into the Provo Tithing office & he was credited on his tithing for the amount paid. The deed was made to Trustees A. H. Scott. Isaac Bullock & Myron Tanner. He thinks the deed is among the papers which were taken from the Tithing office. in 1887 — I was glad to get this information. Mr Le Grande C Layton of Zeipute, Colorado, A gentleman Pres Woodruff became acquainted with about 1 year ago and who became converted to Mormonism arrived in this city last Thursday & put up at the Continental Hotel, he had been stricken with paralysis in the East & came here to be baptized. Pres Woodruff did not know he was here until last evening & sent apostle John Henry Smith to see him this morning. he found that Mr. Layton died at 4 p. m. yesterday. he was born in the State of New York & is 38 years old. this was a sudden blow to Pres Woodruff. He wrote to Pres J. D T Mcallister at St George Temple to have him baptised for & endowed I attended the usual prayer meeting of the Presidency & apostles at the Gardo House Parlor at 2 p m. present Pres Woodruff & Geo. Q. Cannon apostles F M Lyman, John Henry Smith, Heber J Grant, John W Taylor & A H Cannon, M Thatcher came later on (p. 212) Bro Seymour B Young in speaking about the color in my face said I might try what I was doing for a few days & if not effectual he would try something else. I walked out for an hour & a quarter this evening Bro Apollos Driggs accompanied me.

Friday March 13, 1891 Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Smith still quite sick at his home — 14 letters received 18 recommends signed I received a letter from my daughter Eleanor and answered it. I also wrote to Bp J. P. R. Johnson to try & have her employed as clerk at the last Coop Store. I wrote to Bro Jas W. Bean to come & see me in regard to the Provo Temple Lot

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deed &c Atty F. S. Richards called and reported having had an interview with U. S. Atty C. S. Varian on the Church suits. he feels that Mr Varian will report favorably to the Dept of Justice. Bro H. B. Clawson was also requested to see Mr Varian & retain him & Attorney in a Mining Suit with a view to his making a proper report &c Bp J R Winder reports that a majority of the Stock of the Times Newspaper can be bought for (213) \$10,00000 Bro Winder will see further into this matter & report. This is a fine clear day. much like spring. I went to Sophias this evening.

Saturday March 14/91 Devoted most of the day to applying lobelia to my face. Sister Barratt called in the evening

Sunday March 15/91 Spent the day mostly attending to my face which does not seem much improved. returned to the Cardo this evening.

Monday March 16/91 Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office Prest Smith still confined to his room - 28 letters received 33 recommends signed. I received letters from my Son Joseph - Geo A. Shumway & W D Johnson Jr at Deming N. M. I sent for Bro McHenry & conferred with him in regard to buying a piece of land as requested by G. A. Shumway. Arrangements were made in regard to purchasing the control of the Stock of the Times Newspaper. Bro Geo J Gibbs returned from Washington, D. C yesterday morning & came to the office today the articles we sent for him to bring are to come by freight. (p. 214) Leonard called today they are all well also at Thomas' My face has been quite bad today. I walked out for an hour & a half this evening with Bro Apollos Driggs. We had a nice rain during the night. Bro Isaac Bullock died at Provo at 7⁴⁵ a m today

Tuesday March 17/91 Prest Woodruff & Cannon at the office Prest Smith still confined at home. 8 letters received 12 recommends signed. It was agreed

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to purchase the control of the Stock of the Times Newspaper & Bro W. H. Shearmen was authorized to close the bargain. Leonard called. My face has not been any better it is not so well as when I quit taking the Kennedy Favorite Remedy." Bro Seymour B. Young recommended that I take Hyporsulphite of Soda, 3 or 4 times a day & wash my face in the same & see if that will help me. He does not seem to know what will be for the best for me to do. I received the Pills I ordered from St Louis this afternoon. I went to the Theatre this evening in Pres Woodruffs box. The opera of Robin Hood. by the Bostonians.

Wednesday March 18/91 Pres Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Smith not much if any better. (p. 215) 15 letters received 29 recommends signed. I received letters from my daughter Eleanor & Bro Jas M Bean. Leonard called I got him to go and inquire about a Sulky Plow for the farm. The prices of the best are \$50.00 I purchased one from the Coop Wagon and Machine Company to be delivered at Provo for \$50.00 and sent an order on Bro Jas Jack for the money on my a/c. Leonard attended to this matter for me. I wrote to Elizabeth. I commenced this morning with Bro John Jacques to hear Bro B. H. Roberts read his manuscript of the History of the life of President John Taylor which he has written. we passed upon 9 chapters. I attended the meeting of the Board of Directors of Zions Savings Bank & Trust company at 1 p m. Bro Alex Macdonald arrived yesterday from Mexico and called today & made some explanations on the Mexican purchases recently contracted for adjourned till tomorrow morning at 9⁴⁵ I went with Bro Apollos Driggs for a walk & I took him to Pres Woodruffs box at the Theatre & saw the opera of Suzeth by the Bostonians. a fine clear night. Bro F M Lyman promised to see Mr Odell tomorrow morning and see if he can get any reduction

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on my plow (p. 216)

Thursday March 19th 1891 Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office Prest Smith

is some better but still at home. 10 letters received 11 recommends signed

The Presidency with Elders M Thatcher F M Lyman J H Smith Bp W B Preston &

A F Macdonald met & talked over the Mexican land purchase matters. It was

thought desirable if possible to separate the mountain & valley lands of-

fered by Mr Haller & purchase the Culter. This would require assistance

from the Church of \$10,000 which can be returned in less than 1 year by

Sale of lands to the colonists. The details of the proposed concession for

Colonization from the Mexican Government were then considered After Bro

Macdonald had unparted all desired information. It was agreed on motion of

Pres Geo J. Cannon that steps be taken to carry out the contract of Coloniz-

ation. I attended the reading of manuscript of the History of Prest John

Taylor till 12 m. also attended the usual prayer meeting of the First Pres-

idency & apostles at 2 pm present Pres Woodruff & Cannon. Apostles M

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Our Friend Hon M M Estec was defeated in the election for Senator of the

State of California & Mr Charles N Felton was elected. I recd a circular

letter from Z. C. M. I in regard to increasing the Capital Stock of the

Company \$250,00000 & proposing that the Stockholders may have 25% pro rata

of them present Stock if they so desire. I am in favor of the increase &

shall try & take my share of the New Stock at \$13500 pershare It rained

this afternoon & evening. I called at Sophias for an hour this evening.

my face has felt better today.

Friday March 20/91 Prests Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Prest Smith much

better, but still at home. 8 letters received 11 recommends signed. I attended

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the reading of the History of Pres John Taylor this morning & afternoon. I obtained an appropriation in favor of Bro Peter W Cownover of Provo of \$10000 in Produce & wrote to him enclosing orders for \$5000 on the Provo & Springville Tithing Offices each. I also wrote to Elizabeth. This has been a fine day. my face has been somewhat troublesome with itching. (p. 218) Bro Wm Spry was honorably released from the Presidency and labors in the Southern States Mission. he was requested to suggest to the First Presidency some names for his successor. The following Sisters were selected as the Local Committee connected with the Worlds fair at Chicago. viz. Emily S Richards, E. B. Wells, Pricilla Jennings, Mrs Legrand Young. A D Grosbeck Amelia F Young Talula Young. Pricilla Riter. I accompanied Pres W Woodruff to the theatre tonight in his box. "A Texas Steer" performed.

Saturday Mar 21. 1891 I received a letter from Elizabeth, all well at home. none of the Presidency at the office 6 letters were received and I signed 9 recommends I attended the reading of the History of President John Taylor morning & afternoon. Leonard called I got him to go & see if the Plow had been shipped. it had not, but they said it should go this afternoon. I wrote to Elizabeth to tell her of this and answer her letter. Bro Jas W. Bean of Provo called and I requested him to look for the deed of Richard Breherton to the Church Trustees of Provo for the Temple Block at (p. 219) Provo & told him where to look for it. I was glad to see him. he said he would do his best to find it & sent to me. I went to Sophias this evening found all well. Bro S Lester Watson called & spent an hour or more in conversation.

Sunday March 22. 1891 I spent the day in reading & resting & returned to the Gardo House this evening.

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Monday March 23, 1891 The First Presidency at the office. Pres Joseph F Smith feeling so much better in his health came to the Gardo last night about 11 oclock. He is yet quite weak but felt well enough to come to the office. 9 letters received. 6 recommends signed Pres Daniel H. Wells came up from Manti last Saturday weak not feeling very well. This morning his son Rulon S. Wells called & stated he had been telephoned for saying his father was in a dangerous condition. Pres Geo Q Cannon & Bps Preston Burton & Winder went & administered to Pres Wells. Pres Cannon on his return reported that Bro Wells was suffering from Pluricy and he did not look upon him as being in a dangerous condition. (p. 220) I received the bill of drugs &c from Mr Mertz of Washington D. C. & the bill of shipment on the 13th of this month At a meeting of the First Presidency & Presiding Bishop & Church archetect this afternoon it was suggested by Pres Woodruff that a suitable man be employed to assist the Presiding Bishops in selling to the best advantage for cash or other available means the Tithing produce & other property, as reported on hand in the several Tithing offices It was decided that the present force of Carpenters on the Temple be not added to at present. It is expected to expend \$100,000 on the Salt Lake Temple this year It was decided to transfer the Social Hall Property to the School Board of the Latter-day Saints College It rained most of the afternoon & in the evening I attended to the reading of Pres Taylors history this morning & afternoon

Tuesday March 24, 1891 The First Presidency at the office. 8 letters received 13 recommends signed I received a letter from Elizabeth. all well at home. also a letter from Bro A. O. Smoot in regard to reincorporating the Provo Cooperative Institution which I answered (see letter book) and handed my letter to Bro Smoot this morning. Pres A O Smoot. H H Cluff & Benj Cluff

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also (p. 221) Dr Karl G Maeser came up from Provo & called in regard to Bro B Cluff being called from the B. Y. Academy to labor in the L. D. S. college much feeling is exhibited at Provo on this subject & objections raised. all these brethren spoke and Pres Woodruff protested against the feeling that the First Presidency had any intention of injuring Provo on the B. Y. Academy. He thought the feeling manifested on the subject at Provo was not consistent for Latter day Saints. But under the circumstances he thought it better for Bro Cluff to remain at Provo for another year. This was satisfactory. It was brought by Bro Rulon S. Wells that his father Pres Daniel H. Wells died in Salt Lake City at 1 oclock this afternoon. he was born at Trenton, Oneida Co. N. Y. Oct 27. 1814. Apostles L Snow, M. Thatcher M. W. Merrill, A. H. Lund & Bro John B. Maiben for the Manti Temple were informed by telegram & Bro B. Young at Liverpool by Cablegram. I talked with Bro. A. O. Smoot & H. H. Cluff about the re-incorporation of the Provo Coop Inst. & Bro Cluff told me that my letter about employing Eleanor would be acted upon when they get their affairs in good shape. (p. 222) I recd a letter from Bro McHenry about his not wanting to buy the farm on the Provo bottom also the bill for the Sulky Plow \$5000. I wrote to C A. C. and sent proxys for myself, Elizabeth & Sophia to Bro Weber for him to vote our Stock at the Z. C. M. I Stockholders meeting April 4th. We finished the reading of the life of the late Pres John Taylor this afternoon. I wrote to Elizabeth & sent her an order for what wheat I have at the Excelsior mills. I also sent Bro McHenrys letter for Bro Shumway. This evening Dep(u)ty Marshal Sprague was seen loitering about the Gardo & accosted Sisters Smith as they were leaving the house. The suspicious circumstances caused Pres Jos F Smith to leave. Bro John Henry Smith provided a horse & buggy. I felt that it was safe for one to stay. I

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walked out with Bro Driggs & Sudbury to the Post Office.

Wednesday March 25, 1891 Pres Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Smith absent. 10 letters received 5 recommends signed I attended the meeting of the Board of Z. S. B. & T. Co at 1 pm. and at my place in the office. Telegrams & letters were sent to the Presidents of Stakes requesting them to obtain a diagram of their county with (p. 223) the Precinct lines marked thereon. for use in the redistricting the Territory by the Utah commission. Some portions of the manuscript of Pres Taylors life were submitted by Bro B. H. Roberts & myself to Prest Woodruff & Cannon and were corrected these were portions which Bro Jacques & myself would not approve. I walked out this evening Bro A. Driggs accompanied me

Thursday. March 26, 1891. Prest Woodruff & Cannon at the office. Pres Smith has not yet returned. 12 letters recd - 20 recommends signed. I received a letter from Elizabeth all well. I paid \$48.00 for the Sulky Plow. Bro F. M. Lyman took the money & bill & Manager Odell deducted \$200 Genls R T Burton H. B. Clawson & Col John R. Winder were appointed a committee of arrangements for the funeral services of the late pres. D H Wells It was decided that the services would commence at 12 m. and that the remains will not be exposed. Nelson A Empey was approved for appointment as Bishop of the 13th ward. I attended the usual Prayer meeting of the Presidency & apostles at 2 p. m. present Pres Woodruff & Cannon (p. 224) Apostles F. M. Lyman, J. H. Smith, H. J. Grant, J. W. Taylor & A. H. Cannon. conversation was had in regard to the Church taking a block of the increased Stock of Z. C. M. I. but no action taken. This has been a very fine day I put some Hyposulphite of Soda on my face last night on going to bed also some Salt Rheum Cream. it pained so much I had to wash it off. It was very severe, & my face has been much colored

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today. I recd a telegram from C A C Coming up with the Temple Workers to Pres Wells funeral. I went with Pres Geo Q. Cannon to the Theatre. & sat in Pres Woodruffs box. "all the comforts of home." The President & wife were there.

Friday March 27, 1891. The First Presidency at the office. Pres Jos. F. Smith came last night. He is feeling some better. 24 letters received 31 recommends signed Sent Telegram to Bro A. H. Lund asking what time the Temple Workers would arrive here. Pres Woodruff & Cannon had their Photographs taken at Sainsburys Gallery accompanied by Dr Williams for the purpose of getting one for a Steel plate engraving for G. F. Whitneys History of Utah A. F. Macdonald is very sick with Lagrippe at the Lion House. I wrote to Elizabeth in reply to her letter recd yesterday.

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Friday March 27, 1891. continued. Bishops Burton, Clawson & Winder called & presented a programine for the occasion of the late Pres⁴ D. H. Wells funeral, which was read & a few corrections made & approved.

Recd Telegram from Bro A. H. Lund stating the Manti Temple Workers will be here tomorrow.

Had a Snow Storm this evening. I went down to Sophias this evening in the Snow. all the brethren went home.

Saturday. March 28/91. I was here at the office to-day.

Pres Lorenzo Snow & Bro A. H. Lund called.

Sister C. A. Connover came with Bro Lund to the . She having come from Manti this Morning with some 17 of the Temple Workers. to attend the funeral of the late Pres. D. H. Wells. I had Bro. Christiansen take her down to Sophia's.

Bro. John Jacques and myself wrote a Certificate to Geo J. Taylor & John W Taylor Executors of the Estate of the late John Taylor about an examination of the Biography of their fathers as written by Bro B. H Roberts. Bro Lehi Pratt called & he will take care of me and make me comfortable if I can go to

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March the 29th & 30. 1891 the Becks Hot Springs. Leonard called with my clothes and I signed 40 recommends. Recd 14 letters. It has snowed most of the day. At Sophias this evening I met Bro. & Sister Jos Watson also Bro. M. F. Farnsworth & Bro Metcalf of Manti.. Bro W. C. Spence returned from N. Y this A m

Sunday Mar 29. 1891. Spent the day in reading, marking Easter Eggs for the Children. conversation Prest D. H. Wells funeral at 12 M till 2. p.M. a very disagreeable day snowed nearly all the time. Bro Wm C. Dunbar prayed, Prest Woodruff. Elders A. H. Lund - F. D. Richards & Prest Geo Q Cannon spoke. Pres L. Snow offered the benidiction & Elder F. M. Lyman prayed at the grave. I returned to the Gardo House this evening.

Monday March 30/91. The First Presidency at the office. 22 letters rec d 15 recommends signed. Bro John T. Caine called, he & wife returned from Washington D. C. on Saturday evening. Bro John D. T. Mc Callister from St George called. Bro Albert Jones of provo called and I signed my name for the reincorporation of the Provo Coo-perative (sic) Institution. I also talked with (p. 3) him in regard to Father Clarkson's Estate. He said the Probate Judge will not do anything about that until the death of the Widow. I spent an hour this evening at Sister Barratts Sophia & sister Connover there also. Snowed considerable to-day. Prest Jos. F. Smith, F. D. Richards. Jas Jack & W. C. Spence met and decided the Emigrant rate from Liverpool to Salt Lake City for the season of 1891, Will be \$63.00

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and from Copenhagen to S. L. City \$68.00

Tuesday March 31. 1891. The First Presidency at the office.. 14 letters recd 23 recommends signed Bro A. F. Macdonald is very sick at the Bee Hive House. Prest Woodruff & Cannon & Elders Lyman & Grant called & administered to him. Prest Woodruff signed his 22nd Annual Report as President of Z.C.M.I. after I had read it to him. I recd \$12.20 cash on account of my dividends at the People's Equitable Co-op Inst.- Wrote to Elizabeth. went to the Theatre this Evening (sic) with Prest Woodruff. "Kajunka." It has snowed more or less all day. (p. 4)

Wednesday April 1st 1891. Fine day The First Presidency at the Office. 20 letters received and 20 recommends signed I attended a Meeting of the Directors of Zions Saving (sic) Bank of Trust Co at 1 p m. Pres L Snow, & Apostles Richards Lyman, Smith, Prest Taylor, Merrill, Lund & Cannon called and they went into Council at 2 p m. I went to the Theatre this evening (sic) & returned with Sophia & sist Cownover. Bro Driggs went with me to Prest Woodruffs Box -

Thursday April 2. 1891. The First Presidency at the office: 11 Letters received 11 recommends signed The Presidency met with the Apostles at 12 M. until 515 p. m. The Apostles adjourned to meet as a quorum on Tuesday July 7/91 at 10 a m. Had a talk and understood each other with C A.C. I took a walk this evening.

Friday April 3. 1891 The First Presidency at the office. 11 letters received 19 recommends (sic) signed. I red letter from Elizabeth she expects to come up on the Rio Grande Western train this afternoon. (p. 5) Leonard called I arranged with him to meet his Mother. It was arranged for the Presiding Bishopric to purchase the Walker Bros Coal Mine in Coal Creek Canyon near Cedar City for \$4200.00 I made out a Missionary certi-

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ificate for Bp Myron Tanner of Provo to go East & visit his relatives. Bro McHenry promised to arrange for me to go to Leonards this evening but he forgot it & I had to get Bro John Walste to get a horse & buggy which he did & I arrived there at 9 p.m. too late for me to go to the concert at the Tabernacle as I had tickets for her to go. I found Elizabeth quite well & was glad to meet her again.

Saturday. April 4. 1891. This is the first day of the 61st Annual Conference (sic) Conference. Pres Woodruff & Cannon attended the meetings at 10 a m & 2 p m also the Stockholders meeting of Z.C.M.I. at 4.30 p m and Priesthood meeting at 730 p m Elizabeth went up into town and returned in the afternoon Prst Woodruff, & Elders A H Lund M. W Merrill & J. W Taylor spoke in the morning and (p. 6) Elders F. M. Lyman, L. Snow, A. H. Cannon & Pres Geo & Cannon in the afternoon Prest Geo Q. Cannon & Prest Woodruff were the Speakers at the Priesthood meeting.

Sunday April 5/91 Prest Woodruff. F. D. Richards & Moses Thatcher were the Speakers in the Mornig (sic) meeting, and Prest Geo. Q. Cannon & H. J Grant in the afternoon. Elders F. M. Lyman. A. H. Cannon. John Morgan & B. H. Roberts were appointed to conduct services in the assembly Hall at the overflow meeting at 2 p.m. Sunday School Conference at 730 p m Supt Geo. Goddard. Wm Paxman Thos. C Griggs. John B. Maiben, & Prest Geo. Q. Cannon were the speakers. Bro McHenry called for me this evenig. (sic) & I returned to the Gardo House. Elizabeth attended the Tabernacle meetings this Morning & afternoon. I called on sister DeLaMare at her residence with Elizabeth while there we met Bro DeLaMare M. M. Steels & David Cameron. Bro Jos F. Smith came this evenig to the Gardo. (p. 7)

Monday. April 6. 1891. The First Presidency at the office. 8 letters recd 8 recommends signed. Prests Woodruff & Cannon attended conference meeting.

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The Authorities were presented & sustained. Relief Society Report read. Elders John Henry Smith, Prest Woodruff & Seymour B. Young addressed the Saints in the Morning. Pres Jacob Gates, John Morgan & Geo. Q. Cannon were the speakers in the afternoon. Bro. M. F. Farnsworth called he wanted to borrow \$300.00 but Prest Woodruff could not lend to him. Elizabeth & Sister Dela Mare (sic) called this afternoon. Mrs D. thought I had better take some pills of Septrandin & Phodophalin. I let her have 50 cents to get them. and gave her a number of bottles & some Syrup & Iron for her daughter. Elizabeth went home on this 5 p. m Rio Grande Western train. I arranged with Bro. C. H. Wilcken to go to the Beck's Hot Springs & confer with Bro Lehi Pratt about my going there. We arranged for me to go to-morrow morning early & I made my arrangmnts for this move (p. 8) My face and body have been very troublesome for a few days past. I hope to get relief at the Springs. The brethren are all in good hopes of such a result. I called at Sophias for an hour this evening.

Tuesday April 7. 1891 Bro Wilcken called at 7.30 and I went with him in his buggy, arrived at the Springs at 815 He returned. I took a bath before breakfast and felt well. I have a nice room and am comfortably fixed. The wind blew quite hard this morning & turned to the North when it Hailed & snowed being a very disagreeable cold day - This afternoon Bro Wilcken called for me & I went with him to the city our Inland Salt Company having sold out, it was necessary to sign a deed of sale also transfer the Stock. I signed the deed & My Stock certificate & handed it to Bro Jas Jack. The sale has been made for \$100,000 cash down \$50,000 in one year at 8% and \$50,000 to pay for the bonds. being \$200,000. I did not take any cold in riding. Bro McHenry called for me with horse & buggy. We called at Sophias. Sister Cownover had received a telegram saying his

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daughter Ina was very Sick & wanted her at home at Richfield, I wrote a telegram for her asking if Ina was (p. 9) dangerous if not Sister C. would remain at Provo 1 day to see her father & family. We had a few words which were agreeable & satisfactory to both. got to the Springs before dark & had another bath this evening just before going to bed. While in the water I feel very nice. I wrote to Bro Thos G. Webber asking him to secure for me 15 shares of the New Z.C. and Stock.

Wednesday April 8th/91 While at the office yesterday I met with Bro Geo W. Bean & Bro Wm T. Stewart & conversed with them. I took a bath before breakfast. & felt well. I find that the hot water seems to be driving the humor out. for my arms were quite red. & also my face, which feel nice and soft while in the water but soon is dry & harsh. my face looks like it was worse than ever, but I think it is the humor coming out. I took another bath in the afternoon & one at night just before going to bed

Thursday April 9th 1891. During the night a Kind of Watery matter run from my face, ears & neck ~~during the night~~ (sic). the skin seemed to raise & this water would come from it. I took an early bath & my face & neck felt much better, but my face is very read (sic) & some swollen about the eyes. Leonard called at noon I brought me the pills (p.10) which Sister Dela Mare (sic) fixed for me. I sent a note by him to Bro Sudbury to get for me a bottle of Microbe Killer for I feel as though I must do something more for my face than to bathe it. & this Microbe Killer has been highly recommended. Leonard said he would call again on Saturday. I bathed at 5.30 & felt well my face was quite troublesome with itching during the evening.

Friday April 10/91 My face & neck discharged considerable of that Watery matter during the night and my bowels were worked upon so that I spent a bad night I took an early bath & felt better. but rather weak. the wind

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is blowing & rather cold. so I dont go out. when the weather is fine I have walked out & felt better for it. I have been quite feverish one of the boarders gave me an orange which was very grateful to me. I got 3 lemons through Bro Pratts Son Ernest from the Saloon, and took my bath between 5 & 6 oclock. My face is very much swollen & troublesome this evening. Bro Pratts & his hired man both tell me that the Sulphur Water is forcing out the humor & that I am better than I was. were I to say my mind I would say that I am much worse yet feel hopeful that I am improving. (p. 11)

Saturday April 11th 1891. I did not have a good night. I am so wakeful I lay for hours without having a bit of sleep. I took my bath before breakfast. and tried to busy myself about my room my face & neck look very, bad, but no quite so fiery red as on yesterday. I get very lonesome. I wrote a letter to Elizabeth also to Sophia. Leonard Bro McHenry drove out this evening. I talked with them a little while. they thought my face looked bad. I went with them & we had a bath. Leonard took my letters & I asked him to bring me some oranges. I am so feverish & want to drink so much water. My face bothered me this evening.

Sunday April 12. 1891. I had better rest last night - Took my early bath. It came on to rain this morning. Leonard & Sophia came out in a buggy about 11 oclock and they brought me some oranges Sister Watson sent out 6 very large ones for me I enjoyed the eating of one of them I wrote out a statement of the dates of birth. Marriage, names of her parents & of children &c - of Sophia's Mother, Harriet Whittaker Taylor. for Bro B. H. Roberts to put in- to the Biography of the late President John Taylor. They left about 1. o- clock still raining. Quite a large number of people visited the Springs & baths today. My face & neck seems to be much better to-day it is not so fiery red. On coming out from my bath after 9 oclock this evening &

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going to my room (p. 12) Bro Pratt called me into the parlor. There to my astonishment I saw my wife Elizabeth sitting in a chair. Before mailing my letter last night Leonard had written a few times to his Mother & gave her his views of my situation and he thought she ought to come up to me. She received these letters this Morning & came up on the afternoon train to Leonards, he took her to Bro McHenry's in the evening & Bro Mc brought her out she arrived soon after 9 o'clock I was extremely glad to see her. it was quite a surprise to me. She came prepared to commence poulticing my face same as she did at Provo. It appears that Sophia had suggested to Leonard that his mother should come & stop with me. The children at home were well, Sisters little daughter is getting well of an attack of Measels & her two boys have had their spill of sickness also & are now well.

Monday April 13, 1891. I took my early bath. spent a better night than since I came here. This is a fine day. we walked around some this morning & in the afternoon walked up the Mountain side to a perpetual Lime Kiln where we saw them burning lime. Bro L. J Sudbury came out this evening and brought me 2 jugs of Microbe Killer #1 and #3. and recommended that I take the medicine inwardly & wash outwardly as per directions. He stopped a short time and gave me (p. 13) the news. Everything seem to be going on in the office & Prests Woodruff & Cannon are well. Prest Jos F Smith is not well no better than when I left. I requested Bro Sudbury to ask Pres Joseph to come out here for a few days I feel satisfied it will do him much good. I promised to use the contents of the jugs. which cost \$6.00 Bro S would not stop to take a bath but said he would come out again. I took my bath after 9 oclock and afterwards fixed my face, neck & leg with this Microbe Killer & went to bed.

Tuesday April 14, 1891 It came on to rain very hard this morning & Kept

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on till nearly noon & was then cloudy. I took my early bath, & felt much better for our trouble in dosing my face, neck & legs last night. The bathing seems to be doing me much good for I feel more like myself I hope this additional medicine will be beneficial. Elizabeth fixed my garments as they were to large for me. I am very glad she is here with me as she makes my solitary life more comfortable, especially on these rainy days. when we cannot go out. Had my bath tonight and fixed my face, neck, legs & went to bed.

Wednesday April 15. 1891 Spent a good night slept better through the night than I have done for a long while. I notice much improvement in my face & neck & legs. and am therefore more hopeful. Took my bath before breakfast. (p. 14) It rained much in the night and continued all day. I wrote to the children at Provo & Bro Pratts Son Ernest took my letter to the city & mailed it there. Leonard came out this evening & brought me some butter-milk & oranges also a letter from Sophia all well.. I took a bath with him. He noticed that I looked better. About 8oclock Prest Jos F. Smith & Bro C H Wilcken drove up I was very glad to see Bro Joseph & spent an hour in agreeable conversation in the parlor. He expressed much pleasure at my apparent improvement & was very anxious for me to remain until I was completely recovered & to take as much out door exercise as possible. In speaking of how I was first attacked he attributes it to the defective plumbing & sewerage at the Gardo House. they are now at work changing the sewerage &c. & find out how bad it was. It was too cold & raw for these brethren to take a bath. They left about 930 & promised to come again if he could get away & stay 2 or 3 days. at my solicitation. I fixed my face & for the night & went to bed.

Thursday April 16th 1891 The weather is more pleasant but somewhat cloudy

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I took my morning bath. and at 11 a m Elizabeth & I took a walk up the Mountain side until we were both very tired. We would have gone further but it threatened to rain & did rain a little (p. 15) before we got back. In the afternoon we walked out again for over an hour. So we took considerable exercise today. I feel better for it took my bath at 9 p m Attended to my face & neck & retired to bed. Sophia & Selma came out on the train, had a bath she spent some time with Elizabeth & they returned on the 710 p m train

Friday April 17. 1891. Feel better this morning took my bath before breakfast my appetite is some better. a fine day we walked out some & took exercise. I received a check on the State Bank of Utah for \$30.00 as Divident #11 on Co-op Wagon & Machine Co stock, check No 170. dated April 15/91 also one for Sophia for the same amount. Had my bath at 6 oclock & attended to washing myself with Microbe killer before going to bed.

Saturday April 18/91. I feel that I am improving. took my morning bath. Another fine day. took as much exercise as necessary. Have not heard from the children at Provo yet. Ma is quite anxious & feels that she must go home. with the help of Elizabeth we are doing all we can for myself. I took my 6 p m bath.

Sunday April 19. 1891 A nice day. There is considerable company at the baths. I took mine early. Leonard & Bro McHenry came out this morning. They took a bath. Leonard & I walked up the track for over 2 miles while we were gone Mrs M.M. Barratt & son Samuel called (p. 16) to see me. they waited awhile, but as I did not return they left. Mrs B. had a good visit with Elizabeth. McHenry also went without Leonard after resting & taking lunch & my changing my clothes Leonard went home in the hack. I paid his fare. I sent Sophias check for \$30.00 by him. I was tired with my walk

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& rested this afternoon. took my 6 p m bath.

Monday. April 20. 1891. Took my early bath a fine day. Elizabeth fixed my garments this morning as they are too large. & I laid in bed while she worked on them. afterwhich I went out. Read the papers this afternoon. Took my evening bath & attended to my face & neck & went to bed.

Tuesday April 21. 1891 A fine day, had my morning bath, after breakfast Bro Samuel Barrett drove up and wanted some advice from me. I drove out with him. he had received a letter from Bro Geo Reynolds asking him if he can go on a Mission to Europe. He explained his circumstances in the firm of Watson Bros & of the Estate of the late Jas Watson yet unsettled in the Probate Court. He was willing to go but business affairs were not satisfactory to leave for a year at least I told him what Kind of an answer to write. (p. 17) We drove towards Bountiful for an hour & returned I drafted an answer for him to make to Bro Reynolds letter. He thanked me & drove home. Elizabeth feels that she must go home. we have not heard from the children since she left them. so she concluded to go this afternoon and after getting everything ready & leaving matters in the best shape for me. she left on the 5 p m train. I wrote a letter to Bro S. J Sudbury which she took & would call at the Cardo to see him, as I want some more Microbe Killer. While I was taking my 6 p m bath Bros Chas H Wilcken & S. J Sudbury drove up. Bro S. had started before Elizabeth got there. he brough me a check #6 on the commercial National Bank Salt Lake City for \$1000.00 dated April 21/91 and signed by Nephi W. Clayton. this is on act of agreement to sell the Inland Salt Companys plant which I signed April 7th/91. He also brought a letter from Joseph at Provo on the 20th all the children are well. The box of goods sent for to Bro Geo F Gibbs from Mr Mertz at Washington. D.C. has also arrived I gave Bro Sudbury a list

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of names & articles for each one who sent. and requested him to get me another Jug of Microbe Killer & send it out. I made out an Order for \$9.00 on James Jack in his behalf to pay for the Microbe Killer sent me & for this Jug. I attended to my face, neck & body & went to bed. (p. 18)

Wednesday April 22. 1891. I did not sleep very good the fore part of the night. but got along all right afterwards. Bro Lehi Pratt accompanied Marshal Young North last night to arrest a man charged with selling a spurious Gold brick at Prove." and they had not returned this morning (sic) I took my early bath spent most of the time in my room reading the latest papers. Sister Pratt Lehis Mother, Agatha Pratt Ridges & Balmida Lusser were here yesterday & returned home last night. I attended to my face neck & body & feel that I am improving fast - I walked out this afternoon onto the Mountain side. fine day. Had my afternoon bath at 6 oclock . & spent the evening in my room reading.

Thursday April 23/91 Bro L Pratt returned between 11 & 12 oclock last night. They did not get their man. but was satisfied he was in Ogden. I took my morning bath. quite windy all day. Spent the morning in my room reading. In the afternoon I commenced to draft out my Will, and got along very well. I felt impressed to do so, and have thought for some time that I should make my will. From this draft when I can get suitable paper I will copy it & Keep on hand for the time when it may (p. 19) be needed. While I was taking my 6 oclock bath. Leonard called. he also took a bath. He brought me another jug of Microbe Killer. ^u1. also a letter from Bro. D. L. Davis giving me some instruction as regards taking it. I sent the checks for \$1000.00 and \$30.00 by him to be deposited at the Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co's Bank to my credit. I also wrote to Bro Thos G. Webber asking him about the 15 Shares of the New Stock of L.C.M.I. which I want to get

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and sent the letter by Leonard. His family and Thomas family are all well, also Sophia & her children Sister Pratt, Lehis Mother, came out last evening to stay a few days. I spent some of the evening in conversation with her & walked around for awhile in the moonlight before going to bed.

Friday April 24. 1891 It is cold, windy & disagreeable to-day. I cannot go out to walk. I took my early bath & spent the time in my room. & in conversation with Sister Pratt in the parlor. Selma came out on the 3.30 p m train. she could not find Sophia as she was not at home. I did a little writing this afternoon. and wrote to Sophia. Took my 6 oclock bath. On Wednesday I concluded to wash myself with the Microbe Killer. as soon as I dry myself at the bath and while the pores are open (p. 20) and I feel benifited thereby. I also wash myself before going to bed.

Saturday. April 25th 1891. It came onto rain during the night and continued until about 12 oclock to-day. when it came on to snow, covered the ground so that it was more like christmas than April 25th about 2.30 it began to clear up. and looked more cheerful. I took my morning bath. but slept so sound I did not wake until after 8 oclock. spent the morning in my room reading - Since I received Bro Davis letter I have used the #3. M. K. for washing the parts most affected, and now find that I have no smarting on my face or Neck and arms & very little on my legs. so that I begin to feel that where it dont smart the disease has gone. I shall continue to use it where needed & hope to soon have removed the complaint from my skin, but shall continue to take it inwardly until I feel quite clear of it. Leonard came out on the 330 p m Train and brought my clean under clothes which I changed. I wrote to Elizabeth. Leonard also brought me a letter from Elizabeth all well at home on the 23rd. Also a letter from Bro Thos G Webber. Sec of ZCMI informing me. I (p. 21) can have as much of the

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New Stock as I want. or any reasonable number of shares.. I asked Leonard if he wanted some shares. he said he would like to get three shares. He also brought a receipt for the 2 checks sent to Cions Savings Bank for \$1030.00 He returned on the 5 p. m train. I paid his fare. I took my 6 p m bath.

Sunday April 26/91. This is a fine clear day. I took my early bath. After breakfast Bro Lehi Pratt told me that Alonzo S. Hyde had come out in a Hack, drunk, he took a bath and then went to the Saloon. Bro Pratt offered to furnish him with a good room & bed, but he insisted on going to the saloon. Hyde told Pratt that he had deposited at the Bank yesterday \$5500.00 he had \$41.00 and his gold watch & diamond pin on his person. which Bro Pratt took for safe keeping. He said he had stayed at the White House last night & paid \$8.00 for his room. He paid \$4.00 for the Hack to bring him out here this morning & ordered the driver to come for him this evening \$4.00 more. He laid at the Saloon drunk all day. In the evening Bro Pratt went to his room and found a common Strumpet laying on the bed with him. & fondling him. His Wife Annie had telephoned to Bro (p. 22) Pratt to learn of his whereabouts. on his informing her that he was here, she supposed Bro Pratt had him in a proper place until evening when at my suggestion he told her he was at the Saloon in bed & he could do nothing as regards getting him to go home. I walked along the Railway track for 2 miles & tired myself with the exercise but felt better for it. While I was taking my 6 p. m. bath Bro John Henry Smith came for a bath as he is suffering with rheumatiz. Bro Pratt brought him to me & we had a good bath. I told Bro Smith about Hyde. This evening Bro Pratt & myself talked over the situation & what could be done to get Hyde away from the Saloon & to his home, but he was so stubborn he would not go home. This he telephoned to Mrs

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Hyde. This Strumpet was with him again this evening & the bar tender said that Hyde came into the bar room exposing his person while other men & women were present & they had to put him back in the room. and he & her drank a bottle of Champagne (\$5.00 & she went to the city.

Monday April 27, 1891. A fine day. I took my morning bath. soon after & before breakfast. Mrs Annie Hyde and Son & daughter drove out in a Hack and found Hyde in bed drunk - some of the wearing apparel of this Strumpet was on the table where she had laid it. Bro L Pratt told me that about 2 oclock he went over to the Saloon to see how (p. 23) Hyde was getting along. and then found that one of the Saloon men Tommy Needham was going to the city for the Strumpet that Hyde ordered him to bring her out. he did so & she came about 4. o'clock. This morning Bro Pratt went into his room & found Hyde stript, & the women striped all but a skirt. he afterwards found him with his garment tied at the back. they were in this condition when Annie his wife saw him in bed. and saw the woman's clothing on the table. She was out when Annie arrived & was taking a bath. I saw her at the baths with but very little clothing on. about 10 oclock Bro Pratt prevailed on Hyde to come & take a room & bed at the Hotel. He took the next room but to mine. Annie & her daughter came & staid with him. the boy took the team back to the city to have the horses shod & to come out this evening. Bro John Henry Smith came out for another bath & at Bro Pratt's suggestion I told him of Hyde's drinking but did not say anything about the woman. As I did not wish Annie to see me to cause her more trouble I Kept close in my room to my own discomfort. I feel very sorry for Annie & her family. but have no sympathy for Hyde. he is a disgrace to the people and not to be trusted. I expected that Sophia would be out for an hour this afternoon. but sent word by Bro. Smith for her not

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to come. I did not wish her to witness her Sisters Shame. Their daughter saw me talking to (p. 24) Bro John H. Smith and told her father & mother. Hyde asked Bro Pratt if I was here & had seen him, he told him yes. He said he was sorry I had seen him. would rather almost any one else but me. Their son returned with the carriage in the evening and they all left at 8 o'clock. I took my usual bath & felt well after it.

Tuesday April 28/91 This is the anniversary of my wife Elizabeths birthday. 55 years old. She is in the enjoyment of good health and all her faculties. I am truly thankful that the Lord has brought her through another year. and for her companionship these many years since we became acquainted & were married. I pray the Lord to continue his favors and blessings to her for many years yet to come. and trust the time will soon come when we can be closer associated than we have been for the past 6 or 8 years. I am feeling better in my health but am not strong. The trouble which has been upon me now. so long, seems to be broken up, and I hope will soon be entirely removed from my person. I took my morning bath and after breakfast took a walk up the Mountain side (p. 25) to the Lime Kiln quarry. saw them preparing to shoot of a large blast in a few days.. I asked Bro Pratt to give me my bill of expenses. Wrote to Bro. C. H. Wilcken asking him to come for me with a horse & buggy & take me to Bro Roueches. This has been a fine pleasant day. Bro Pratt gave me two free tickets for myself and family to come and take baths at the Hot Springs when we wish to. I also wrote the names of the First Presidency & other brethren of the Twelve on complimentary Tickets to the bath for Bro Pratt. I have been impressed for several days that the visit of President Harrison to California & Utah would be an opportune time to impress him with the necessity of granting a general Amnesty to the Polygamist Saints. Our friends in California

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could so impress him with this idea and follow it up until he comes to Utah & there explain the situation fully as regards the Manifesto. promises in the Courts &c &c. and call to his attention what the people have done in this country before the Gentiles came here. &c Also show to him that by such an Act he would make friends of the people to himself and party and make Utah a Republican State. so that if he is put in nomination again by his party such an act would (p. 26) almost insure his re-election. That is if the Lord wants him re-elected. Such a move, however, would give the President a chance to do something Magnamous and crown his administration with laurels. I laid my views before Bro John Henry Smith this afternoon. He having come out for a bath and he thought such a move would be good. & result favorably. I suggested that he talk with Prest Joseph F. Smith on his subject. if something of this Kind had not been considered by the Presidency. I took my evening bath. & walk for an hour - I retired to rest.

Wednesday April 29. 1891. A fine morning. I took my morning bath. After breakfast. I with a fellow boarder walked up the Mountain to the spring from which the cold water is piped to the Hotel & bath houses. This is a very nice place and good cold water. and can be made much more valuable than it is now. we got back at 1 oclock. I had a good sweat in going up the Mountain. Sophia & Willie came out on the 3:30 p. m. train and returned on the 7 p m train. I took Willie in for his first bath at the Hot springs or in any water so deep. He was delighted. They brought me (p. 27) some oranges and bananas & some Deseret News papers to read. I took my usual bath, & walk this evening before going to bed.

Thursday April 30. 1891. The last day of April, one third of the year gone. I arose feeling well & took my morning bath. After breakfast. Bro Franklin D. Richards got off the train and stopped to take a bath afterwhich I had

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a good talk with him while he was waiting for the next train. He was pleased to to see me & that I looked so well. I spoke to him of my Amnesty Scheme & he thought it would be a good move. Prest Geo. W. Cannon had been to California & returned. Bro. Smith had also informed me of Bro Cannon's return. Bro Richards commenced telling me of his son Franklins visit to Washington with U.S. Dist Attorney Varians and of their conversation on Utah Affairs with the Solicitor General &c - but the train came & he could not conclude. promising to come again. Bro John H Smith told me that he had some conversation with Prest Jos F Smith on the Amnesty measure but he thought it was too late to do anything about it now. so it appears the brethren had not previously considered it. I wrote out my will in ink this afternoon. (p. 28) Bro Chas H. Wilcken came out with Bro A. F. Macdonald this afternoon. Bro Mc. has been very sick with La Grippe and Phenmonia & is yet quite feeble. They thought it would be a nice out to come & make me a visit. for which I felt grateful. They partook of lunch & we had a good talk. Bro Wilcken will try & come out to take me to Bro Mouches.^(sic) Prest Woodruff purposes going to Logan to Conference next Sunday & Monday. Pres. Geo. W. Cannon is at home sick with LaGrippe since last Tuesday. and Pres Jos F Smith is at the Gardo. While I was taking my 6 p m bath Bro. John Beck & wife & daughter came out. I was glad to see him & had a good talk to him. urged the proprute^(?) and necessity for the interest of our people that he do not sell or dispose of this Hot Spring property. but that he improve it. I gave him my reasons. with which he was in accord. He has given an option to a Mr Bacon which is good for 6 weeks yet to sell for \$150,000.00 but he does not think Mr Bacon will or can do anything. Bro Beck promised to come out again on Saturday & bring out a Surveyor and Archetect so as to have plans drawn for permanent improvemnt. He felt well

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in meeting me after so long a time. I have had plenty of company today. Bro Pratt brought (p. 29) me a letter from my wife Elizabeth of April 26th she & all at home were well in health. After my evenings walk & spending a little while with Bro Pratt & his Wife, formerly sister Dalley. of Parwwan. I went to bed.

Friday. May 1st 1891. A fine day. clear and bright. I took my morning bath. after breakfast had a tittle talk with Bro John H. Smith. wrote to Elizabeth. I also wrote to Bro. Thos G. Webber Sec. 4. C. M. II and requested him to make out certificates of Stock of 4.C.M.I. for myself 12 Shares. Sophia 5 shares and Leonard 3 shares. This being 20 shares at \$135.00 each. = \$2700.00 one half due May 1/91 \$1350.00. To pay this amount I sent an order on Z.S.B. & T. Co. for 954.95

Sophia will pay.	135.00
Leonard " "	202.50 and balance of my April/91 dividend

After paying book a/c of \$8.25 57.75
 \$1350.00

I pay for 3 of Sophias shares, to pay her for the money advanced by her to pay for the 3 shares I bought from Bro Wm Budge while at Washington. and as those certificates were made out in my name. this will save making a transfer of 3 Shares. (p. 30) I also wrote to Leonard and requested him to attend to this business for me. also to Sophia to let Leonard have \$135.00 to pay for her 2 Shares. There will be due on August 1st 1891. on these shares as follows:-

15 Shares (myself)	\$1012.50
2 " Sophia	135.00
3 " Leonard	202.50
	<u>\$1350.00</u>

I asked Bro Webber to let me know how the next payments are to be made & what will be required so as to get the certificates of Stock now. Bro

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John E. Woolley of Centreville called to see if I would not accompany him to his fathers tonight. as Bro. Wilcken told him I wanted to go north. As I had not got my business with Bro Webber sent off I could not go tonight. I expected to send my letters by Bro John H. Smith as he did not come I sent one with enclosures to Sophia and one to Mail adressed to Clara. at nearly 8 o'clock by Bro Smith's Son who came out for a bath. I took my usual bath and evening walk & went to bed.-

Saturday May 2, 1891. I feel well this morning & took my morning (p.31)

bath. The gnats are very bad here in the day time and mosquitoes at night. I staid about the place all day. In the afternoon Bro John W. Woolley called with a team and wanted to Know if I would not go & stay with him & family a few days. I talked with him expecting Leonard to come with my clean under clothing, but as he did not come I concluded it better to wait for my clothes & Bro Woolley said he would call for me on Monday which I accepted. Bro Wm Asper came down from Logan this morning & stopped off I had a nice visit with him., he is still on the underground but has much freedom in his employment at Logan. & looks & feels well in health. He went on to the city this afternoon. I took my evening bath & walk.

Sunday May 3. 1891. It is somewhat cloudy this morning, but quite pleasant. I had my early bath, did not go about much a number out from the city. I asked Bro Pratt for complimentary passes for Bros James Jack & Wm C. Spence & families to take Hot Spring baths. which he granted & I made them out for these brethren & wrote to Bro Spence enclosing the passes. Bro Jas Jack called to see me for a short time. He asked if I would not join him & others in (p. 32) securing a bathing resort for our people at the Lake. I answered, yes.. My Sons Thomas & Joseph came out on the 3.30 p m train, brought my clean clothes & a letter from Elizabeth all well at home but

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Elizabeth & Joseph informs me that our daughter Eleanor is quite wayward. & staying out of night & sometimes in not very good company. This grind (?) me very much. Joseph came up on the train to day. We conversed about the survey & lines of our farm land on the River bottom. I made out a rough plan of the land & explained my views which he seemed to understand. We all took a bath together & Thomas went back on the 700 train. Joseph stayed all night, We had further conversation in the evening.

Monday May 4. 1891 A fine morning. Joseph & I took an early bath. I wrote to Elizabeth and to Eleanor. conversed with Joseph about fencing &c. He will set the posts & make an estimate of the amount of wire needed & I will order the wire sent to him. Joseph went on the 1050 train & expects to go home tonight. I wrote out some more passes for brethren to the Hot Springs at the request of Bro Pratt. I settled up with Bro Pratt he charged me \$8.00 per week. 4 weeks for myself & 1 week for Elizabeth. I gave him an order on (p. 33) Bro James Jack for \$40.00 This afternoon Bro & Sister John W. Woolley called for me with a spring wagon and I drove to their house & arrived in good season. the roads were quite dusty. We spent the evening in conversation.

Tuesday May 5/91. I arose this morning feeling well I have no Microbe Killer & no baths. I dont know how I shall get along. the gnats & masquitoes annoy me very much., & make my neck itch.. I called on Bro John E. Woolley & Lorin Woolleys families & found them all well kept out of doors as much as I can .

Wednesday May 6/91. I rested well last night, and did some choring about the place so as not to be idle., and helped Bro Woolley to make a drain from his granery cellar.

Thursday May 7/91. I made a drain of red wood & put it into the trench which

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had been dug. and held the plow in loosening the ground to plow up the drain and worked and with a shovel was very tired in my shoulders as I am not used to this kind of work, & perspired considerable (p. 34)

Friday May 8th 1891. Bro Woolley & I finished filling up the drain. I worked on the wire fence as I find I can yet do some farm work. President Joseph F. Smith & Bro Albert Davis called this afternoon on their way home from Logan where they had been to the Temple during the week. I wrote to Elizabeth, Sophia, Leonard & Bro Sudbury. I want him to get me a jug of Microbe Killer #2. Bro Woolley got me a jug of #1 at the Store this morning. I find the trouble is not yet out of my legs under the knees. and I must apply the Killer to that part. Bro Smith took my letters. I asked him to request Bro Wilcken to come out on Sunday & bring my clean clothing, he said he would do so. He was pleased to see me looking so much better. and wanted me to remain till I was improved in health. These brethren left at 7 p.m. Bro Orrin H Randall arrived from his Mission this evening & talked

Saturday May 9. 1891. A fine day. I made myself busy. President Benjamin Harrison & wife & party visited Salt Lake City to-day. & left at 12 m. I understand the City was nicely decorated. & the School children made a favorable impression (p. 35) on the President & party. a great many people from the adjoining settlements were present. I am attending to my legs as best I can. & had a bath this afternoon

Sunday May 10. 1891. A nice day. Bro. C. H. Wilcken & S. J. Sudbury came out this morning & brought my clean clothes & jug of Microbe Killer #2 & a bottle of Calisayd Iron & wine, which I sent for also a letter from Sophia from which I learn that Willie is sick with the Measles but doing as well as he can. I was glad to see these brethren I changed my clothes & we all attended the Ward Meeting this afternoon at 2 O'clock. Bros H. Parrish &

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Wm Streeper home missionaries also Bro Samuel W. Richards, Bros. Wilcken & Sudburg were the speakers. I partook of the Sacrament. This is the first public meeting I have attended of the Saints since January 1885. and I felt it was quite a treat. to do so. The brethren left at 620 p.m. They brought us the Newspapers giving account of the Presidential reception yesterday. Presidents Woodruff & Geo. Q Cannon were out in the procession & on the Stand at Liberty Park. I felt well today and we read the papers this evening.
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Monday May 11. 1891. I feel well this morning am applying the Microbe Killer to my neck & legs. I helped Bro Woolley put up some 30 rods of Wire fence this morning., & cut potato sets this afternoon. Sister Woolley is not feeling very well so Bro W took her out for a ride this afternoon. Sister Lizzie Woolley, washed my underclothes to-day:

Tuesday May 12. 1891. All well this morning. I Kept myself busy during the morning. In the afternoon Bros. Geo. Reynolds & S. J Sudburg called. Bro Reynolds wanted to enquire of me for the Daily Office manual from October 1890. as he could not find them. I told him where they should be, we had a good talk. Prest Woodruff has concluded to not take the trip to Mexico. but says Prests Geo Q. Cannon & Jos F Smith had better go. This is a wise conclusion I think for he is not able to stand the fatigue. Pres Woodruff sent his love and good wishes to me. Bro Sudbury brought a few lines from Sophia telling me how the children are. Willie is getting well of his measles I wrote her a few lines in return & sent by Bro Sudbury I was glad to see these brethren & they were glad to get out for a ride. (p. 37)

Wednesday. May 13. 1891. I am feeling some improved. My face & neck & legs seem some better. Bro Woolley plowed up the Orchard in front of the house and I transplanted some Rhubarb roots & Kept myself busy. It rained

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this afternoon which was very acceptable.

Thursday May 14. 1891. I requested Bro John E. Woolley to call at the office to see if there are any letters for me, but he did not get any. I made some chicken co-ops for Sister Woolley today for small chickens, and attended to my face & legs. Bro Orrin & Randall & wife Adalena & Amy came from the ranch tonight.

Friday May 15, 1891. Bro O. H. Randall & wife & Amy go to the city this Morning I asked him to call at the office & Gardo House to see if there are any letters for me. I have not heard from Provo since Joseph came last Sunday week May 3rd. Bro Woolley & John loaded up 2 loads of hay to take to the city tomorrow. I busied myself at odd jobs & attending to my face & legs. Bro Randall brought me a letter from Jos of the 5th & Elizabeth of the 6th all were well at that date. & Joseph wants some 950 lbs of Fencing wire, also a letter from Bro Peter W. Cowmover of April 30th these letters have been at the office but through carelessness were not thought of & sent to me when I had brethren call for them. I wrote to Elizabeth this morning & sent the letter by Amy to mail at the city, asking why I (p. 38) did not get any letters. I wrote to Leonard asking him to enquire and get me the prices of fencing wire & & (sic) to send me word. I also wrote to Bro Jas. A. Cushing and asked him to take care of my letters & send them to me when called for also to send me some paper & envelopes, also sent a few lines to Sophia. Sister Randall brought me some oranges & Bananas from Sophia & said the children were well & Millie playing about, but had not been out of doors yet

Saturday May 16. 1891. Bro Woolley & Lorin went to the city with 2 loads of hay I sent my letters with Bro woolley which he delivered to Bro Cushing. I busied myself & had a bath this afternoon Bro Woolley brought me some

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paper & envelopes, but no letter. We all had an invitation to eat dinner at Bro Melvin Randall's to-morrow.

Sunday May 17. 1891. A fine day. all well, went with family to Bro Randalls at 12 M. John W Woolley & wife. Amy & Lizzie & myself. John E. & wife & Sister Harris. Lorin & wife & children.. Sister Randall. Orrin & wife Addie partook of dinner at 1230 we all went to Meeting at 2 p m. I again partook of the Sacrament and sat with the congregation. Bro Orrin H. Randale occupied the time in reporting his missionary labors. & a few records of counsel from the Bishops counselors on Fast Offerings &c - after meeting we all returnd (p. 39) to Bro Randalls and ate Ice cream & cake. I took a walk with some of the brethren & Sisters on to the higher ground to wee the splended^(sic) view of the country which is very fine looking towards the Lake west. We sang several Hymns & returned in the evening much refreshed by our visit.

Monday May 18/91. I feel well this morning but Bro Woolley is not so well being troubled with blind piles.. I busied myself during the day. My face & legs seen much better. Lizzie washed my under clothing for me

Tuesday May 19. 1891 Bro Lorin Woolley went to the city this morning with a load of Hay. I asked him to call & see if there are any letters for me. It is somewhat cloudy. Bro Woolley is not any better I persuaded him to rest this morning which he did. I wrote a letter to Hon John E. Booth, as Mayor to the City council of Provo, asking them to take action and order that my rights to water for my city lots at Provo be restored to me & the water again be put on my lots. A strong east wind blew most of the day and it rained in the evening. Bro Lorin Woolley brought me letters from Elizabeth & Sophia also one from Leonard enclosing a receipt from A.C.M.I on payment of \$810.00 on my 12 shares of capital stock. also a price list

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of Barbed Fencing (p. 40) Wire the prices range from \$4.50 to \$5.50 per 100 lbs. I want the Genuine Gledde Wire Galvanized @ \$5.50. All are well except Teenie, Leonards Wife and he hope she well soon be all right. Bro Woolley rested all day & is still in much pain.

Wednesday May 20/91. Bro Lorin Woolley thinks he can have some letters sent in to the City for me. So I wrote to Elizabeth also to Sophia. and to Leonard requesting him to order for me at the Co-op Wagon & Machine Co. 1000 lbs of best genuine Gledde Galvanized Wire & 15 lbs of suitable staples & have the whole shipped to Joseph, at Provo immediately. I also wrote to Bro Wm A. Rossiter and requested him to see after Assessor Clute who is making a house to house visit in Salt Lake City. & see that he does not annoy my family there. I also wrote to Bro Jas A. Cushing The East wind blew all day & rained in the evening.(sic) Bro Lorin Woolley did not get any one to take my letters on account of the bad weather, but would call on Bro. B H Roberts tonight & see if he is going to the City tomorrow Bro John A Woolley has been in bed all day. at his request his sons John - Lorin & myself administered to him tonight. Lorin anointed and I was mouth: He felt like he would be up & attending to work in the morning. But he had better rest. (p. 41)

Thursday May 21. 1891. Bro. B. H. Roberts called this morning I was glad to see him. He took my letters to Bro Cushing. I had some talk with him. We see by the papers that the Republicans are organizing in Salt Lake City. and at the meeting of the party last night at the Theatre Bro John Henry Smith declared himself and asked to be admitted to join them. pledging himself to labor for the party. There appears to be much dissention among the Republicans, as the Liberals do not want to lose their power. I fear the results of these measures of uniting on party lines as some of our people

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will carry their party feelings into their church membership.

Friday May 22. 1891. Bro Woolley is much better and got up & attended to some chores & rested. he also done some rolling of his land with the roller & team. in the afternoon We loaded up a load of Hay for Lorin to take to the City. I plowed some grass & weeds.. I find I can mow yet but I am not so strong as I used to be. I also planted some corn. We had some showers of rain during the day. My face & neck seem all right now, but undemeith my Knees & calves the humor is not all gone, I am using the Microbe Killer. I helped Bro Woolley to put up some wheat for mill

Saturday May 23rd 1891 Bro Woolley feels better this morning & done the chores (p. 42) after breakfast Lorin started with the hay & Bro W. Started with the Wheat to mill, at the City I requested him to call & get my letters. I planted out some beans & water Melon seeds. We had some nice showers. Sister Amy Woolley had two young ladies call on her they came from the City on the train. Miss Mary E Woolley of Kanab & Miss Jennie Smith, city daughter of Bro John Y. Smith our office Guard. they staid at Bro Woolleys & were quite sociable. Bro woolley returned this evening and brought me a letter of from Joseph of the 18th also a note from Sophia my families are all well. Joseph wrote about the fencing wire, which I am in hope he has received ere this. I said to Bro Woolley I would like to go to Bro Roueche's on Monday or Tuesday for which he said he would arrange

Sunday May 24th 1891 A fine day. but somewhat cloudy at times. Bro Samul (sic) Bateman & wife & 2 children arrived soon after breakfast and staid all day. I was very glad to see him for it is some 18 or 20 months since we last met. we had some talk of our days of exile with President Taylor which was very agreeable. I staid and had a good visit. The girls went to Sunday School & meeting. Bro Woolley arranged this evening for Amy

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to take the team & drive me over to Bro Roueches tomorrow, or to bring the team back. (p. 43) Bro Bateman & wife left this evening.

Monday May 25th 1891. All well this morning. I packed up my effects for a move. Amys friends on learning she was going north with a team expressed their wishes to go along which was granted. Soon after ten Oclock we started and a Miss Porter also accompanied us. I left with earnest solisitations to come again and stay as long as I wished. We had a very pleasant drive I handly the lines and arrived soon after 12 oclock Sister Roueche & Josephine were at home and received me as a son & brother, were very glad to see me and made me welcome. They also made the young girls quite welcome. they staid for dinner & lunch and left about 4 Oclock having had an enjoyable time. I accompanied Bro Roueche to the Opera House at Kaysville this evening he having been requested to address a meeting of Young Men who were desirous of organizing a Democratic Club. Bro Roueche being an old time Democrat they wanted him to speak which he did & laid before them the principles of Democracy & also of Republicaism. (sic) They organized after several present had spoken. We returned in the buggy. I met Bp Peter Barton (p. 44) & Bro J. S. Barnes at the Meeting, & had some conversation with the Bishop on our local politics.-

Tuesday, May 26. 1891. I spent a very good night. having had a good bed. in the room in which President John Taylor died. I rested and busied myself so as to bet some exercise. ground a mowing sythe while Bro Roueche turned the grind stone. & covereded with the folks. This evening I went with sister Roueche & Josephine to sister Lizzie Bailey Smith's found them all well & Lizzie has a fine baby boy some 8 months old. Her husband Gabriel is also well and at home.

Wednesday May 27. 1891. This is a fine day I am feeling well. I busied

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myself this morning. Wrote to Elizabeth & Sophia this afternoon also to Bro Jas A. Cushing. & sent the letter by train this evening. Bro Roueche & Josephine & Willie were at the settlement this morning helping to clean out the Meeting House there being a Bee established for that purpose and about 60 turned out to do the job. Sister Roueche yesterday told me that most of their fruit trees - Peaches & Apples - also all their Raspberry plants & current trees. and strawberry (p. 45) plants died that fall & winter & spring, & next fall after the death of President Taylor, it seemed as if everything they had would die, but they now are getting some new trees growing also more plants and seem to be prospering again. I walked over the grounds & found it was as stated. I was never as astonished in my life & cannot account for such a thing.

Thursday May 28/91. I busied myself about the place. the weather is quite changable with showers & sunshine. I requested Bro. Roueche to get me another jug of Microbe Killer through the store. I repaired the wire door on the kitchen & put lock on store house door. I weigh 191 1/2 lbs. Am feeling some better of myself -

Friday May 29. 1891 Josephine and William went to the city on this mornings train. I sent a few lines by her to Bro Sudbury asking about matters at the Gardo House if the flumbers are through with their work &c. and asked her to call at Sophias & see how they are there & if she can to come up here for a day or twos (sic) visit. I painted the floor of the front porch. It rained quite hard this afternoon. Bro Roueche went to the High Priests Meeting at Farmington. I read the paper as I could not go out. (p. 46)

Saturday. May 30. 1891. This is Decoration day. and a general holiday There is quite a fusion meeting of Saints and gentiles at the Cemetry in Salt Lake City to-day. in speeches singing & Music. I received a letter

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from Elizabeth of May 26th all well at home, also a request from Bro Jas Jack to sign a power for proxy for Nephi W Clayton to vote my stock at a Meeting of the Stockholders of the Inland Salt Company of Utah for the purpose of disincorporating said company & return the same to him which I signed. We had more showers of rain. In the afternoon Bro & Sister Roueche & myself & little Phinie drove up to the Cemetery where Sister Roueche placed some flowers on the grave of her son Joseph Philps Roueche - we walked through the cemetery. which is very nicely cared for. On our return we found that their Son Jacob & wife Minnie & 3 children had arrived from Logan. and at 7 p m. Josephine & William returned & Hattie Whittaker Waite & her husband Fred Waite & little son came up in a buggy from the city. so we had a house full. Josephine brought me a letter from Sophia from which I learn that Leonard has had the measles & done very nicely with them. Sophia could not come up for a visit. They are well I also received a letter from C.A.C. of May 24th she & family are well - also a letter from Bro Sudbury. also got my jug of Microbe Killer. (p. 47)

Sunday May 31. 1891 I accompanied Bro Roueche to Bro Barnes residence where a Meeting of the Bishop & Counselors was held I felt well in explaining some matters. afterwards we attended the Public Meeting in the Academy Hall. Bro Wm Burton addressed the meeting for 50 minute in an interesting manner. I had some conversation with him I did not see any body I knew except the Bishop Bro Barnes & Bro Burton. dont know how many knew me. We spent the afternoon in conversation. Hattie & husband left for the City at 5¹⁵ p m. Jacob & family drove out to Sister Watts, Winnies Mother, also Josephine & William

Monday June 1. 1891. I am feeling well this morning. It is quite cool & cloudy. Bro Roueche went to Farmington to attend the County court. I did not go out much during the morning or afternoon it was so wet and cold.

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Tuesday June 2nd 1891 A fine Morning. all well. Soon after breakfast Bro S. J. Sudbury arrived, he had come up on the Morning train. He brought the articles of Incorporation of the Saltair Beach company for me to sign as one of the Stockholders. The First Presidency had requested him to come with the papers for my signature. Bro James Jack having told them I wanted to be a stockholder in the company (p. 48) and they were willing. (Newspaper clipping from the Desert News of June 6. 1891. of the Saltair Beach Company.) The company is organized for 50 years with a Capital stock of \$250.000 in 2500 shares of \$100.00 each. The Stock holders are as follows:

Wilford Woodruff	200 shares	\$ 20.000.00
George Q. Cannon	200 "	20.000.00
Joseph F Smith	200 "	20.000 --
Mathew White	200 "	20.000 --
Nephi W. Clayton	100 "	10.000 --
James Jack	100 "	10.000.--
G. H. Snell	100 "	10.000 --
Angus M. Cannon	50 "	5.000 --
L. John Nuttall.	50 "	5.000.--
I. A. Clayton	50 "	5.000.--
Geor. Q Cannon Trustee	1250 "	125.000.--
	<u>2500</u> "	\$ 250.000.--

I signed the Articles of Incorporation. The company is organized to make a Bathing Resort near the Inland Salt Companys land on the south end of Great Salt Lake. also to build an hotel & other places of recreation and amusemnt for the benifit of the Latter-day Saints. &c &c--- I had a nice chat with Bro Sudbury about matters at the office & in the city. Bro Woodruff is not very well in his health, all seems to be going on all right Bro S. wished to return by the 10.15 train he could not stop (p. 49) long but thought he would come up again next Suncay & spend the day. I was very glad to see him and sent a few lines by him to Sophia. I busied myself about the place. helped to gather a swarm of bees. this afternoon.

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more bee hives ready for other swarms. which may come out at anytime. I wrote to my wife Elizabeth and daughter Eleanor this afternoon. It clouded up and came on cooler again.

Thursday June 4. 1891 Josephine & Minnie went to the city on this mornings train & took my letter to post for Provo We had a nice thunder Shower of rain between 12 & 1 p.m. I wrote to C.A.C. also to Bro P.W. Cowmover. and Kept myself busy.

Friday June 5. 1891. A fine day. I helped Sister Roueche to put up 48 cans of strained honey, each can holding 3 pounds we had to melt the honey which was in 3 five gallon cans by putting them in hot water. Josephine & Minnie returned by the Afternoon train and brought Sophia and her children I went in the buggy to the depot to get them. and was glad to meet them. Minnie being (p. 50) afraid of the Measels. left this evening with her children for her mothers. our daughter Mary T. has some of a cough. all were soon made comfortable.

Saturday June 6. 1891. Bro Roueche went to Centerville to attend the Stake Conference, our daughter Mary T. came down with the Measels and took much of our attention. I Kept myself busy during the day. had Mary administered to by Bros

Sunday June 7. 1891. A fine day. with some showers. Mary doing as well as we can expect. Bro. Roueche returned this evening. Bros Wilken & Sudbury came as far as Centerville & returned home today.

Monday June 8th Tuesday 9th & Wednesday 10th/91 Kept myself busy in and about the house. Mary is doing well. had some slight showers.

Thursday June 11/91 A nice morning. I took Sophia & Mary out for a buggy ride this evening which seemed to do her much good after being Kept in the house all week. I helped to sew sacks of oats which Bro Roueche had sold.

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Friday June 12/91 Sophia concluded that she would return to the city tomorrow morning's train as Minnie & her children are coming so that she can have her teeth attended to prior to going home. I busied myself all day helping to weigh some oats which Bro (p. 51) Roueche had sold and they were all shipped to the D & R G Western depot-today. (sic) I took Sophia & Mary out for buggy ride this afternoon. a heavy shower of rain & wind came on. but I fixed up the buggy sides & front & we kept dry, but it seemed like we were in for a good wetting.

Saturday June 13. 1891. We got everyting packed & ready. Mary feeling first rate. Bro Roueche took Sophia & the children to the U P Depot & they left on the 10.15 a m. train, in good shape. I sent a note to Bro Sudbury to send my mail matter. The oats were weighed & hauled to the D & R G Western depot to-day I helped in the weighing. (at 830 Prest Joseph F Smith, & Bros C. H. Wilcken & S. J. Sudbury arrived from the city. I was much pleased to meet them, and I had a nice chat with Prest Smith on Office affairs & on the Political situation. He told me that there were measures on foot to have him amnesteed so that he can be free. C. C Goodwin is working the thing up. We conversed until late & Bro & Sister Roueche & Josephine made them very comfortable. Bro Sudbury brought me 2 letters from my Wife Elizabeth of June 3^r & 9^d also one from my daughter Eleanor. and one from Bro Peter W Cowmover. and a bill for the Wire bought at the Coop Wagon & Machine Company (p. 52) 1011 lbs of wire at 540 = \$54.59- 15 lb of Staples 90¢ & 1 wire Stretcher to be returned \$1.50 = \$56.99 My family at Provo are all well for which I am truly thankful.

Sunday June 14. 1891. A fine day. likely for showers. spent the day in walking about the premises and in conversation The brethren seemed to enjoy their visit. Bro Wilcken accompanied Bro Roueche to meeting at Kays-

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ville and spoke to the Saints assembled. In conversation with Bro Sudbury he intimated that Bro Geo Reynolds felt that I should not return to the office. did not give any reason. I told Pres Smith that all being well I intended to return the prepart of next week to the office, he was pleased at that & expressed his good feelings at my looking so well. They brethren left soon after 4 O'clock for the city. Minnie & her children came this evening . . . William went for them with the buggy. I wrote to Elizabeth this afternoon and handed the letter to Bro Sudbury to post at the city.. also my letter to Bro P. W. Cowmover.

Monday June 15. 1891. Sister Roueche & Minnie left on the 10¹⁵ a.m train for the city. I fixed 2 Bee hives and helped swarm 2 hives of bees. We had a steady rain for some 3 hours. (p. 53) thoroughly wetting the ground. It cleared up in the afternoon.

Tuesday June 16. 1891. A fine pleasant day. I copied some in the Record of the Presidency and Apostles. I took the last of 7 boxes of Pills which I got from St Louis and commenced taking on Mar 1st 1891. I assisted in swarming another hive of bees this morning. Sister Roueche & Minnie returned from the city this evening & brought me word that Sophia & Children got home all right & are now all well. This has been a warm day.

Wednesday June 17. 1891. I am feeling well this morning. I helped to swarm another hive of bees and got the hive all ready for them. Very warm. I wrote on the record of the First Presidency & Apostles copying until I got tired. Bro Roueche went to Farmington this afternoon the County committee of the People's Party dissolved the party in Davis county.

Thursday, June 18. 1891. Cloudy, had some rain. Kept myself busy. wrote some on the record of the Presidency & Apostles.

Friday June 19. 1891 Quite warm.. I prepared 3 Bee Hives and made frames

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for one of them, helped to swarm (p. 54) of bees and tried with Bro. Roueche to hive them but he got stung in 4 or 5 places and I quit. busied myself all day and was quite tired at night. It clouded up & looked much like for rain tonight.

Saturday June 20. 1891. A nice morning, rather cool. Kept busy during the Morning and wrote in the Record of the First Presidency & Apostles. I spoke to Bro Roueche & he said he could take me to the City to-morrow afternoon & evening. I ground up 2 sythes for Bro Roueche and kept myself busy.

Sunday June 21. 1891. I got my things all packed up and went to meeting with Bro Roueche at the Academy Hall. Bros Sheffield Gaily & Roueche were the speakers. I enjoyed the meeting & partaking of the Sacrament. Sister Roueche & daughter Josephine have been very Kind to me and urged me to come again seemed quite loath at my going away at 410 I accompanied Bro Roueche in a buggy & we drove to Centreville to Bro John Woolley's - found himself & wife & Amy, all well, also Sister Lizzie. we stayed some 2 hours in conversation & partaking of Supper - left at 810 & drove to the city arrived at Sophias at 10 oclock. Bro Roueche put his horse & buggy up at Grants Stables & came & stayed all night - found all well Sophia was gone (p. 55) to bed but she soon got up & fixed for Bro Roueche & myself to sleep.

Monday June 22. 1891. After breakfast Bro. Roueche attended to some business and at 10 o'clock started for home. I paid \$1.00 for the care of his horse & buggy. I spent the day in reading and conversation. & sent for Leonard who came after his work was over. Teenie is feeling tolerable well. John & Christy have had the fleasels. John got along all right Christy has a gathering in her head & running at the ears. he thinks occasioned by her

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teething. He is doing well. Sister Barratt called this evening & spent an hour in conversation. I was very glad to see her. I went to the Gardo House & found none of the brethren there I wrote a letter to Elizabeth & afterwhich Bro Sudbury came & informed me that the First Presidency had gone to California they left last Saturday night to be gone some 10 days Bro Driggs went with me to the Post office where I mailed my letter & a newspaper. & returned to my room & bed which I occupied before I went away. While I have been absent the house has been re plumbed in all the closets & wash stands &c.

Tuesday June 23. 1891. I felt well this morning. Bro Geo Reynolds came and was glad to see me. also Bro Geo F. Gibbs and Andrew Smith. I saw Bro Wilcken & sent for him to come in (p. 56) and in conversation we arranged for me to go with him to Bro Carlisles at Mill Creek tomorrow afternoon to spend a few days. After he was gone I received a letter from My wife Elizabeth at Provo dated June 19th and I concluded to go to Provo this evening. and therefore sent the following telegram to her. "Have one of the boys at Depot arrival tonights train." Bro. Reynolds asked me if I would take hold & sign the recommends tomorrow. I told him of my intention to go south & for him to continue, that as the Presidency were away & expected to return about the 1st of July. I would try and return next Monday night which was satisfactory to him. I sent for Bro James Jack and had some conversation in regard to the Saltair Beach Co organization. He said I could have as much Stock as I wanted. that it would be a good thing & a railroad would be built out to the grounds. and of some propositions now in hand to that end. I asked him to pay my bill for wire at the Co-op. Wagon Co. of \$56.99 on my account which he did and got my bill receipted. I sent for Bro. McHenry & he came & promised to take

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me down to the Depot to-night. I got Bro Andrew Smith to get me another bottle of Microbe Killer. Brethren who called were glad to see me. An interview with Prests Woodruff & Geo. W. Cannon a few days ago on the Political (p. 57) situation in Utah was published in the Salt Lake City "Times" this evening. - I received a letter from Bro. B. H. Schettler Asst cashier of Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Company informing me of an action of the Board of the Bank to appropriate \$200.00 towards the re-erection of the Eagle Gate providing all the Stockholders were willing and asking my consent. I answered his letter and gave my consent to pay my proportion from the next dividend declared by the Bank.. At 9 Oclock Bro McHenry called for me & we drove to Sophia's where I called & informed her of my intention to go to Provo - we then drove to Leonard's found them all well except little Christina who had a gathering in her head. I administered to her and we left for the D. & R. G Western depot. where I boarded the train and arrived at Provo on time. Walked up to house, did not see Geo A Shumway & Clara who came to meet me, found all well. Elizabeth Ann had been safely delivered of a daughter this afternoon at 4.12 Oclock and herself & babe were doing very nicely. I was glad to meet my family again.

Wednesday June 24. 1891. I rested this morning & felt well on arising I spent the day about the house & in conversation with the folks (p. 58) Joseph came over from the farm. and we arranged that I go over to-morrow evening to spend a day. I rode out for an hour with My daughter Mary in a buggy

Thursday. June 25. 1891. I spent the day about the house, and in reading &c. George came over this evening with the buggy and I went with him over the river. We had a shower of rain on the way, and the weather was quite cold. I talked with the children this evening, Joseph. George. Wilford & Clara being there.

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Friday, June 26th 1891. I spent a good night. Walked around over the farm and tried to do some hoeing in a bean & corn patches. but did not do much, as the Sun was very warm, I busied myself about the place and swarmed a hive of bees & showed the boys how to hive them which we did successfully.

Saturday, June 27. 1891. I am still at the farm and doing all I can to make myself useful. The boys got up considerable Lucern hay yesterday and today. which they had cut. I hived another swarm of bees this afternoon assisted by my son George. Eleanor came out this morning. We all returned to Provo this evening & found all well. Elizabeth Ann is getting along very well and her baby is doing well. (p. 59)

Sunday June 28th 1891 I spent a good night all well this morning and a fine day. The children went to Sabbath School, and to the Evening Meeting. I spent the day in conversation & reading.

Monday, June 29/91 All well. I have Kept myself busy. I sent to Bishop Johnson's residence and asked him to call & see me, He came in the afternoon and I had a pleasant conversation with him. on Provo affairs, the political situation &c He explained the situation of the Provo 1st National Bank, said that equal to $1/3$ of the capital Stock had been loaned out to the Employees of the bank & their friends before it was found out by the Directors, steps are being taken to get the money back again into the Bank. He also said that as soon as business be(c)ame more brisk that my daughter Eleanor would be employed as a clerk in the East Co-op Store. he was one of the Executive Committee & they had so decided. I was pleased to see him & he expressed himself as being pleased also. Joseph & George came over from the farm this evening. To day I drew out plans & bill of lumber for a Kitchen to be built on the south side of my house, and explained the same to Joseph this evening. I accompanied Joseph to the depot to

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learn if the train for tonight is on time & found it was, we then took a drive. About midnight at Elizabeth Ann's request I blessed her baby & named her Leonora Nuttall Shurway (p. 60) that name having been selected by her & George. Afterwhitch having my things prepared and bidding my wife & children adiew. Joseph & George accompanied me to the D & R G. W depot and the train came on time & I left at 1230 a m. arrived at the city after 2 oclock being detained at Bingham Junction by a freight train took a buss at the depot and arrived at the Gardo House at 245 a m. & went to bed.

Tuesday June 30. 1891. I arose in good season and learned that the brethren of the First Presidency returned to the city on Saturday. but Pres Smith did not come to the Gardo until this Morning. When they came each greeted me with welcome & expressed pleasure at seeing me again & looking so well. I did not take hold of work only to examine the recommends to the Temples. In the afternoon Prests W. Woodruff. Geo. Q. Cannon & Jos F Smith & Bro Geo Reynolds & myself met in the office The brethren expressed a desire that I would get together the Church Records which had been concealed during the raid made upon the Historian's office & other places for the Church records and see that they are got into proper shape so there will be no gaps in the Church history. They expressed their entire confidence in my ability to do this, as none had been more familiar with this matter and the records than myself. I expressed my (p. 61) willingness to do on requested for I felt that would give me more liberty from office desk work. It was also expalined that Bro Geo F Gibbs being a short hand reporter could take the minutes of the office business and record them day by day. This was satisfactory to me. Several brethren called & greeted me. I wrote to Elizabeth - this evening. I rece(i)ved a letter from Bro

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T. F Roueche at Kaysville enclosing a recommend for Sister Roueche to go to Logan Temple which I had approved by Pres Woodruff & Mailed to her. I also procured a recommend from Prest Woodruff after explaining to him the faithfulness &c of Bro Peter Barton of Kaysville so that he & his wives can obtain their Second Anointings. I wrote to Bro. Roueche & enclosed the recommend to him for Bro Barton.. I received a letter from Bro Jas L. Bunting at Kanab. I called at Sophias for an hour tonight & found them all well.

Wednesday July 1st 1891. I have been engaged to-day in the office recording, attended a meeting of the Directors of Zion's Savings Bank at 1 p m. I obtained the Monthly allowance for Elizabeth & Sophia from Bro Jack - I went with Bro Jos F. Smith & Bro Sudbury to Bro Smith's residence this evening. some of his children are Sick. we administered to his son Wesley. Bro Sudbury anointed & I was mouth in (p. 62) blessing & - he has Whooping cough & a high fever. I felt well by having the walk.

Thursday July 2. 1891 I attended a meeting of the Directors of Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co. and the Directors of the Templeton Hotel company, and acted as secretary of the Meeting.. The Hotel does not pay the Stockholders have lost some \$12.000.00 they are willing to Keep on if others can be induced to take stock with them and not expect dividends for a year or two. They must have some help or they must quit the business. They have property enough on hand to pay all their debts except to the Stockholders on Motion it was decided to loan the Hotel company \$1200.00 on an overdraft on the personal security of the Directors. and it was proposed to try and get more subscribers to the Stock. Bros Budge & C. W. Nibley called. I attended a Meeting of the Directors of the Deseret Telegraph Company. The company is not paying expenses by some \$3000.00 per year.

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It was deemed proper to Keep the line running & the Supt was instructed to reduce the expenses as much as possible & get as many of the Offices to run on a percentage as he can so as to cut off much of the expenses yesterday morning Prest Geo Q Cannon (p. 63) took me to one side and said he wished me not to confine myself too closely to my work but take all the exercise I wished. He had felt alarmed for my health and wanted me to take care of myself. I told him that I could not Keep myself so close as I had done. He said there was no need of my doing so. but to use my best judgment. and if I had anything to suggest at anytime which I wished their action upon. he knew the First Presidency would grant it in my behalf for they were interested in my welfare. and I must take as much out door exercise as possible. I thanked him for this expression of good feeling. I wrote to Elizabeth & sent her money and order for July. I received a check on Dest National Bank #148 for \$37.50 as dividend on the Bullion, Beck & Champion Mining Companys Stock. I went down to Sister Barratt's this evening & spent an hour in conversation, she is some better of the trouble in her feet.

Friday, July 3. 1891. A fine day. I have worked some on the Council Record having taken the upper parlor for my room to work in where I can (p. 64) have plenty of good light and air. and be alone. Bro Dalton of Ogden called on me & we had some conversation about his mission to California family affairs &c-. I also conferred with Bro Hiram B. Clawson in regard to my making a break and coming out in public. He felt like there would be no difficulty in my doing so. I asked him to confer with U.S. Marshal Parsons on the Matter. telling him that I am now here after being away from the Territory considerable of the time during the past two years that my family affairs are all right and if he or his deputies see me on

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the Streets to let me alone &c. which he said he would do. I also spoke to Bro C. H. Wilcken on the same matter and he said there would be no difficulty in my coming out. and if anything was said about me. he would know of it and I would not be interfered with, that he would guarantee my safety, everything having been satisfactorily arranged. I sent for Leonard & he called this afternoon I learn from him that Teenie is still about & feeling tolerable well & the children are now all well. also Thomas & family. This has been a very warm day. I wrote to Bro (p. 65) Peter W. Cowmover of Provo in reply to his letter recd June 13th I went to Sophia's this evening.

Saturday July 4. 1891 This being Independence day it is a general holiday. I do not feel very Jubilant for the freedom which I enjoy at the hands of our enemies; but I am truly thankful to the Lord for His mercies and that I am as free as I am. I spent the day in the house with my family. There was a celebration & procession & speeches &c in all of which I had no interest. We had a heavy shower of rain in the afternoon, cooling off the atmosphere.

Sunday July 5th /91 It has been somewhat cloudy to-day & not quite so Warm. Leonard called this afternoon & told me that my daughter Eleanor came up from Provo on Friday evening & was out to the Lake yesterday afternoon & last night with an outsider & 3 young girls got home between 10 & 11 O. clock. He also said that Bro McHenry would call for me tonight with a buggy. Sister Barratt. called this evening and chatted until Bro McHenry came at 8.30 I went with him to Leonards to see Eleanor & get some clothes from my trunk. I found that Eleanor had gone out with some young man an outsider. in a buggy for a ride, none of the family knew his name. I felt very much vexed and annoyed I waited until after 10 o'clock could not stay

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longer as Bro McHenry was sitting outside in his buggy with his (p. 66) little son waiting for me. but wished Leonard to have Eleanor come to me in the Morning. I drove to the Gardo House. before retiring to bed I asked the Lord for comfort for myself & protection for Eleanor that she might not come to any evil through being unwise and fall into the hands of wicked men. I was very much troubled.

Monday, July 6th 1891. This is the 57th Anniversary of my Natalday I feel very sorrowful on account of my daughter Eleanor. In going before the Lord in prayer, I felt thankful that I had seen another anniversary of my birth & for the many blessings I & my family have received from the Lord, and asked for mercy and protection to Eleanor, and for His continued blessings to me and my family for the future. Leonard came early, excited & feeling bad and informed me that Eleanor had not been at his house all night, and he did not know what had become of her. At this I was much shocked. for situated as I am I could not go and search for her. I concluded she had been led astray and got into some vile den. I became unmanned and directed Leonard to go and make the best search for her he could & I would send for Bro C. H. Wilcken & put him on the (p. 67) hunt for her or the man we supposed she had gone with by the name of Walker. When Leonard was gone I endeavored to find some one to send for Bro Wilcken, when Eleanor came to the door. From her I learned she had only been riding until about 8³⁰ & then went to Thomas & stayed all night. I scolded her for not letting Leonard or Teenie know of her intentions. I then spoke very plainly to her in regard to having anything to do with such company & said she must stop it for I would not put up with it. I told her she must go home on this afternoon's train. She said she would. Leonard came at 11³⁰ & informed me that Eleanor had returned from her ride at 8.30 but afterwards sat up with the young man until 11 O'clock his name is Mr Wiel. I do not know

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when I felt so worked up in my feelings as I did this morning, and do not want such another experience. I conversed with Bro Hiram B Clawson & Bro C. H. Wilcken about going out of doors today and taking my liberty they both assured me it would be all right & there would be no danger. Bro Clawson afterwards saw Marshall Parsons & he said there would nothing be done in this city in my case, but if some person complained of me at Provo they might arrest me there but he did not think there would be any such thing. I went out to the Presidents office with Bro Wilcken & to the Tithing offices. Saw Bro Knox the Boss carpenter at the Temple Block & talked with him about Leonard. he thinks a great deal (p. 68) of Leonard & purposes to make a good carpenter of him. giving him the best chances. several brethren congratulated me on my being out. Prest Jos F Smith in particular. I thought my birthday was a good time to claim my liberty. Bro B. H. Schettles handed me a check for \$392.00 on Dividend A/c of Z.S.B.&T. Cos Stock to June 30/91. he had paid on my letter towards the erection of the Eagle Gate \$8.00 I handed him the check back again also one on the First National Bank for \$37.50 requesting him to place the same to my Bank account. Prest Geo. Q. Cannon & Jos F Smith requested me to examine the church A/c books and find out how much has been paid on Perr A/c Temples. School Houses, Indians, Canals. Ets. ets. by the Church from Tithing funds. for use in testimony before the master in Chancery appointed by the Supreme court in the Church Suits. I promised to give my attention to that. As this is the anniversary of my birth. I felt like going to Provo, to see my family so left the office at 545 to take the 620 D & R C. W. Train. I worked some on the Council Record. I explained myself to Dr S. B. Young and asked his advice as to the necessity or propriety of my taking something to keep down or away the complaint which has been

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troubling me so long (p. 69) he promised to give the matter his attention & let me know what to do if anything.- I boarded the train met Prest A. O. Smoot & Bps T R Cutler & M Tanner on the car. did not see many people I knew. arrived at Provo on time & walked up to my home. found all well there and much surprised to see me walking to the house in day time. Eleanor had arrived on the U.P. train after supper. I sent for some ice cream. cakes & candy and in the evening eat that afterwhich I called my wife and daughters together and had a straight sound talk to them referred to Eleanors visit &c_ and insisted that we have nothing more of that Kind. I asked each of my daughters if they fully understood me and would carry out my counsel & they each said they understand me & would do as I counseled I blessed them & we went to bed at near 12. o'clock. George came over from the farm but was not present at our talk. I felt well, with my first days out experience.

Tuesday July 7th 1891. A fine morning. I arose feeling well, had breakfast and left at 730 for the train. Met Ep John E. Booth who accompanied me to the City, we talked on the way about the water for my city lots which he said he would attend to & have it put right. I also referred to my feelings towards him in regard to his action at Tanner's Mill & my wheat while I was in my mission. & we both felt better on having (p. 70) an explanation, we also talked on politics &c &c We walked together from the depot. Prest Woodruff is not well having had bilious attack & is at home. I met Prest Cannon & Smith at the Gardo I devoted part of the day to examining papers to get out a report of Church disbursements &c also wrote some on the Council Record. This afternoon I went to the Temple Block met Bros Jos. C Kingsbury & Chas. Thomas. who kindly greeted me. Bro Chas. Levingston accompanied me through the Temple & onto the roof & scaffolding of the

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Towers cast end saw Leonard at Work there. I feel well in getting out of doors. Bro McHenry promised to take me in his cart to the Hot Springs as often as he can get away to go. This has been a warm day.

Wednesday July 8. 1891. A nice day. I have been busy in examining & hunting for The Financial Reports of the Church as passed upon by the auditing committee so as to be able to make such a report as the First Presidency want. An appropriation of \$50.00 was made in favor of Bro P. W. Cowmover and I wrote him a letter enclosing an order for the amount. I also wrote to C.A.C. and to Elizabeth telling her that our contemplated trip to Deseret (p. 71) on Next Friday evening had been postponed and asking her if she will come up here on Friday evening.

Thursday July 9/91. Had some conversation with Bro A. H. Lund. he would like me to visit the Manti Temple when they open again in August as they are going to do some nice painting in the garden &c during the vacation. I have been engaged in my research for church Reports &c and examining papers. called at the Presiding Bishops office & asked for financial Statements for 1884. 85 & 86. called at Sophias for an hour this evening.. all well.

Friday July 10/91 Went this Morning to Prest Woodruff's residence for a Key to his desk to obtain a certain book of information on Church records &c he was up and about his new building. I got what information I needed & returned, his son Owen took me down in a buggy I went with Bro John Jacques to the 21st Ward & examd (sic) some books &c. In the afternoon I examd (sic) some papers in the Prest office. as I had not heard from Provo I telegraphed Elizabeth to know if she had got my letter of the 8th. In the afternoon Elizabeth & Clara called on me they came up on the Afternoon train. they went down to Leonards Bro Samuel Barratt called on me this evening (sic) with (p. 72) his buggy & I accompanied him for a drive. he took

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me to Leonard's & I staid there.

Saturday July 11th 1891 I went to the office this morning & was engaged in my research for reports & made some headway. Bro McHenry took me to the Hot Springs this afternnoon & I had a good bath. Bro Pratt & wife & folks were glad to see me out again I went to Leonards this enening. and afterwards with Elizabeth & Clara made sister De LaMare a brief visit.

Sunday July 12/91 I walked out with Clara this Morning called at the Mountain Ice company;s works and saw the manner of making artificial Ice. & went through the building in its cold storage rooms &c where they Keep Fruits Meats &c cool. we afterwards went to the Hydralic Cement Cos Works & saw how they made the cement. &c In the afternoon I walked out with Elizabeth & stopped at my son Thomas' where we got supper. In the evening Elizabeth, Clara & myself went to Sister De LaMar;s & spent the evening & returned to Leonards - (p. 73)

Monday, July 13, 1891. Elizabeth & Clara purpose going home this afternoon. I went up to the Gardo. Recd a letter from C.A.C. of the 10th Found Prest Cannon & Smith at the Gardo & I engaged myself in making out a report as requested of the Church Tithings &c which I completed. This has been a warm day. Prest W. Woodruff came to the G. H. about 1030 a.m. & remained until 5 p.m. he is feeling much better. I called at Sophia's for an hour this evening. Walked down with Prest Jos F Smith part of the way to his residence. I obtained a complementary pass for Bro Jas. A. Cushing to the Hot Springs baths from Bro Lee Pratt. Bro Clawson introduced me to Bro Cyrus Edwin Dallin the Sculptor He is going to make a bust of Pres Woodruff at the Gardo House.

Tuesday, July 14, 1891. A fine warm day. I was engaged this morning in obtaining further information on my report of the Church Tithings &c.

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This afternoon worked on Council Record of the First Presidency & Apostles
Saw Bro C H Wilcken and arranged with him to take me & Sophia to Bro &
Sister John Carlisles next Saturday morning. This evening at 8 I went
with Prest Geo Q Cannon to the Theatre and heard an address on Republican-
ism by Hon Roswell G. Horr of Michigan and was very much interested.

He is an able speaker & very witty. (p. 74) This is the Anniversary of
Sophia's birthday. I am very grateful for the many blessings she has
received and now in the enjoyment of, and that circumstances are as well
with her as they are. my desires are for her welfare & happiness in years
to come and to enjoy many happy returns of this day in peace and joy. and
that the freedom which we all should have may be guaranteed to us all.

Wednesday, July 15, 1891. All well this Morning. I went & saw the street
parade of Sells Bros Circus & then through the Z.C.M.I. building where I
found but few of the old faces. they greeted me very cordially principally
Bros Carlson & Thos. S Williams I went to Mr Dallins room and saw his
work on Prest Woodruffs bust. he is getting along very nicely. I was engaged
on the Council Record this afternoon and called at Sophia's for an hour
this evening. I wrote to C.A.C. I attended the Meeting of Z.S.B. & T. Co
Directors & an interview with Sister Ruth Jones on an Estate matter of her
Uncle deceased.

Thursday July 16, 1891 I submitted my work on the report of the Church
Tithings &c to Prest Geo Q. Cannon & he approved of the same & suggested a
little fuller report for (p. 75) 1888, & 89, & 90 of expenditures from
Memorandams which I furnished. I met Bro Wm T. Stewart of Kanab and his
brother David. they are in the City on their way to New Zealand to fill
missions assigned them. They expect to leave here on Saturday next & both
feel well. I was engaged in recording on the Connie record. I attended

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an adjourned meetin, from the 14th of the Stockholders of the State Bank of Utah. I had a proxy from Sophia to vote her. Stock. the report of the President was read which showed the Bank had done a fair business. The Directors had added \$25,000.00 of the profits to the Reserve fund & recommend that 1½ per cent dividends be paid every 3 months in the future. I walked down to Leonards this evening and rode back on the Electric Car for the first time since the line has been established. I received a letter from my daughter Eleanor saying her Mother & Clara arrived home on Monday evening that all are well. Very warm to-day.

Friday July 17, 1891. Engaged this morning looking up a Divorce matter, and copied the record of my Baptism for the dead with my Mother in the 15th of Sept. 1869 at the Endowment House. on that day I baptized 76 persons for the dead, & was (p. 76) baptized 5 times myself for the dead. My mother was baptized 3 times for the dead I done some recording on the Council Journal. I wrote to Elizabeth, I walked out this evening. Met Thomas on the way to his work he & family are all well. I went to the Theatre in Prest Woodruff's box saw the play of "Men & Women."

Saturday July 18th 1891 got ready to go to Mill Creek early but did not get off until 11 oclock Bro Wilcken was not feeling very well. He called for Sophia & afterwards for me we had a pleasant drive & found Bro Carlisle family all well. we threw off all restraint & made ourselves comfortable as we were welcome. we spent this evening in singing songs &c -

Sunday July 19, 1891 very warm this morning. Alfred Carlisle & myself accompanied Bro Wilcken to his farm over Jordan we had a nice drive. He has a nice place over there of 80 acres a good young orchard & vineyard also Lucern & Wheat. the crops are all looking excellent with prosperous times He will have fruit returns in 2 or 3 years. returned at noon. & kept in the

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Shade in the afternoon. on our return we called at Bro Charles Carlisles & saw his wife Harriet & baby she was confined a couple of days since & is doing well We arrived at Sophia's & found all well having had a nice (p. 77) cool moonlight drive. I went with Bro Wilcken to Bro Jos F Smith's residency he had not returned home yet from his trip on the Salt Lake since last Tuesday, but is expected home tonight. I found Bro F. M. Lyman in my bed at the Gardo & we slept together. I have enjoyed my brief visit.

Monday July 20th 1891. Very warm this morning. Prest Smith came some time during the night & is quite well this morning. his face is very much Sun burned. I have been engaged on my report of the expenditure of Church funds. as I got more information from Bro Jas Jack. Prest W. Woodruff did not come to the Gardo. he has an attack of Diarreeah. Prest Jos F Smith showed me a petition he had written to Prest Benjamin F Harrison. for Amnesty in his case. There is nothing in it which comprom(i)ses Bro Smith in not making any promises but stating facts. I approved of it. I took Bishop A Driggs to the Theatre tonight. saw the play of "Alabama" by a good company and was much interested.

Tuesday July 21, 1891. A little cooler this morning. Pres W. Woodruff came to the Gardo at 10³⁰, he is not well in health but better than he has been. Bros John W. & Hiram W. Taylor called to see me yesterday afternoon & they wanted me to take some Stock in their organ-(p. 78) ization for making Brick &c they showed me a prospecters for another branch of business in building houses, furnishing all materials &c & to take pay in instalments, They promised to call for me with a carriage so that I can go & examine their present works &c. Dr. Geo L. Miller of Omaha called with 4 Ladies and another gentlemen Prest Woodruff sat an hour for the Artist on his bust & went home at 12.30 p.m. I have been engaged on the Council Record. I

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called at Sophia's this evening she has been sick with fever & some diarrhea since last night. I administered to her. Sister Barratt was there & stayed most of the time I was there. By direction of Pres Jos F Smith I wrote answers to some missionary letters.

Wednesday July 22, 1891. Some cooler this morning. I received a letter from Clara. my Wife Elizabeth is not well in health. I wrote to Elizabeth. Wrote some more letters in answer to Missionaries Engaged on the Council Record. attended a meeting of the Directors of Z S B & T. Co. and acted as Secretary of the meeting. Pres Geo. Q Cannon moved that the President. Vice Prest & Director be paid a salary for their services as such officers. Pres Jos F Smith was not in favor of doing so at Present so the Motion was laid on the table. (p. 79) I went to the Bullion Beck & Champion Mining Cos. office to see what action if any has been taken on my bill for \$5000.00 presented some two years ago. I could not find anything about it. Bro W. Brattie did not know anything of it since he has been the Secretary but he would inquire & let me know about it. Bro John W Taylor called & asked me to accompany him to his home this afternoon. I did so we went in the car. Aunt Mary O Taylor was also on the car. I have not seen her since we parted on the evening of Prest John Taylor's death. she now lives in Sugar House Ward & invited me to call & see them. I took supper at Bro Taylor s. and went with him in a buggy around his brick works &c. which is very extensive. He is building a large house to cost \$15,000.00 & has a nice location. I met sister Lizzie Crismon who was also glad to see me out again. Sister May Taylor was also very kind. I returned on the Car at 9 p m. & went to Sophia's she is much better but still troubled with headache.

Thursday July 23, 1891. Very Warm today. I sent an order to Bro Jas Jack for \$60.00 to pay \$57.90 for a bill of lumber to build a Kitchen at Provo

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on to my house. I called on Lenard (leonard) & learned they were all well. I met Bro K. G. Maeser (p. 80) and talked with him about Mary taking sister Footes place at the B. Y. Academy. He said he would like her to do so & he would write about it this afternoon so as to secure the place for her. I made my arrangements and called at Leonard for his son John & went by the R. G W train at 6.30 for Provo. Leonard accompanied us to the Depot. I found all well at home at 8¹⁵ p m. Thomas & Wife Harriet & Children were also there. also Minnie. Miss Burton & Sister De LaMares daughter Nettie.

Friday July 24th 1891. Arose early. The anniversary of the entrance of the Pioneers into Salt Lake Valley was celebrated. George & Elizabeth Ann & children. Also Joseph & George came in from the farm. We went and saw the procession. I met agreat (sic) many brethren & sisters who came and shook hands with me expressing their pleasure at again seeing me. I attended the exercises in the Stake Tabernacle in the Morning & afternoon and was much interested. The weather was very warm.

Saturday July 25/91 This is the anniversary of the death of President John Taylor in the year 1887. After breakfast - Thos. Jos. & myself went to the Court House where I conferred with Bro W H Brown about the increase in the assessment of my property in Provo & Utah County. He made his notes in the assessment (p. 81) Roll. & promised to present my case to the County Court or Board of equalization which meets on Monday & have my assessment corrected I saw Judge D Jones on the bench & shook hands with him. I also met John E. Hills the W.S. commissioner & shook hands with him. also Sheriff Thos Fowler. Allen Sutherland & several others also Albert Jones at the East Co-op all of whom were glad to see me & some expressed wished that I would return to Provo to make my home. In the afternoon I took Ma, Mary, Thos, Harriet, Wilford, & children to the Lake on the cars. went on board the

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Steamer "Florence-" In the evening Thos. Wilford & myself attended a Democratic rally at the Opera House which was a very dry affair. F H Dyer & Prof Paul were the speakers. we did not stay until the meeting closed

Sunday July 26/91 Spent the day at home, weather very warm Thos. & family went home this evening. Ma & Mary Jos. Wilford myself & the children Walked out this evening for a while. Somewhat cooler I find the trouble in my legs is coming back again and is very annoying. I have enjoyed my visit.

Monday July 27. 1891 I left home at 730 AM for the train at 745 the train was 1 1/4 hours late so I wa(i)ted at the depot. (p. 82) Arrived at the City at 1030 1 hour & 20 minutes on the road. I took little John down home & then by Street car to the Gardo. where I found all well. my legs are quite sore & seem much inflamed. I have been engaged on the Council Record at 4 p m I walked to the U P. Depot & took the Dummy train to the Hot Spr(i)-ngs & had a good bath I feel that it done me good. I went to Sophias for an hour this evening & found them all well.

Tuesday July 27. 1891 I went to the Hot Springs baths on the 7 a m train & had a bath returned to the Gardo at 9 a m. Bro McHenry promised to come for me, but he had some other work to do so he could not go. Bro Geo Reynolds returned from his trip to St George this mor(n)ing. Engaged in the Council Record. Had a small thunder Shower this morning. very warm all day. Bro Thos J. Parker called & paid me \$10.00 for my Wool money for this year. He had bad luck with his wool & could not pay me any more, but he had added 5 Lambs to my old stock. and gave me a receipt for 50 head & agrees to pay 2 lbs of wool per head per Anum & add 1 lamb for every 10 sheep each year. My legs are very painful today. I had another bath this evening did not go out tonight. (p. 83)

Wednesday July 29. 1891 Had my morning bath at the Hot Springs. This

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morning Prest Jos F Smith asked me what I knew about the course of Alonzo E. Hyde at the Hot Springs last April. before I could answer him we were interrupted. Afterwards I was sent for and Prest Woodruff. Geo Q. Cannon & Jos F Smith requested me to tell them respecting A Hyde at the Hot Springs. I got my journal to refresh my memory and told them what had transpired. pre- facing it by saying that I had requested Bro Lee Pratt to wait on A. E. Hyde & explain to him what had transpired. then if Hyde felt disposed to put himself right with the Church Authorities there need be nothing more said about it. The brethren thanked me for the course I took in this matter. Prest Woodruff expressed his views that Hyde was not fit to be a counselor to a Bishop or hold a standing in the Church It was decided for the brethren of the Presidency not to make their visit to Deseret until the warm weather is past. I procured a permit for my wife Elizabeth and one to purchase tickets at a reduced rate from Provo & return and wrote her a letter enclosing the permit for her to come (p. 84) up on Friday next. I have been engaged on the Council Record. I took my bath at the Springs this afternoon. called at Sophia s for an hour this evening found them all well. My legs are still very painful.

Thursday July 30. 1891 I took my morning bath at the Hot Springs. Engaged part of the morning with the Presidency. Wrote on the Council Record.. I made out a copy of my bill against the B.B. & C.M. Co as filed with its Secretary in August 8. 1889. A so wrote a letter to the Prest & Directors of the company asking their favorable action thereon, also a letter to Bro W. J. Beattie as Secretary asking him to present the bill at the first meeting of the Directors. & sent the same to Bro Beattie. I took my afternoon bath at the springs. My legs are some better. I called at Sophia's this evening & sister Barratt also called & spent an hour in conversation

Friday July 31st 1891 I went to the Hot springs this morning & took my bath. I got an appropriation of \$25.00 to enable Bro Jas A Cushing to get his buggy fixed & put in good repair. I got the monthly allowance for my families for August to hand to them. Engaged (p. 85) in the Council Record. I told Bro Lee Pratt of my conversation with the First Presidency on the Hyde affair. he was pleased it had come up. & I arranged so that he can have an interview when he comes into the city. I took my afternoon bath & went down to Leonards this evening & there met my wife Elizabeth who came up this afternoon she left all well at home.

Saturday August 1st 1891 I went for my Morning bath thence to the Gardo Stayed until about 11 Oclock. Prest Geo Q Cannon only there to attend to some of his personal business After dinner I went with Elizabeth on the cars to Liberty Park and remained there till after three Oclock, the weather very warm. We then went on car to U. P. depot. here Leonard & Teenie joined us & we went to the Hot Springs at 4 Oclock. I met Bro Chas Twelves & C W Smith at the depot who were glad to see me. This evening at 8 Oclock I went with Elizabeth & Minnie to the Wesleyan E Church & saw Sister de La Mares daughter Josephine Married. Sister DeLa Mare (sic) was there & felt very bad. as her daughter is now married to a gentile. I gave her what consolation I could. We then walked through (p. 86) some of the streets which were crowded to the Knutsford hotel & heard ex Gov West & Col Lett speak to the Democrats then took the car for home.

Sunday August 2. 1891 I spent the day in the house, weather very warm attended the 5th Ward meeting at 6 p m. Bro C H Wilcken & another Elder were the Home Misionary Speakers. I then took Elizabeth on the cars for a ride & got cooled off.

Monday August 3. 1891 This is Election day for our Next Legislature & cer-

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tain County officers. very Warm. I took my morning bath at the Hot springs find my legs are much better. Engaged on the Council Record. I examed (sic) the files of the "Deseret News" for 1878, '79 & '80 to find if the Fininacial Statements of the Trustee-in-Trust had been published & found they were not which I was satisfied was the case. The record showed the statements were read to the Conference - I took my afternoon bath at the springs. called at Sophia's this evening. Elizabeth went home on this afternoons train. The Liberals gained the victory at the Election in Salt Lake City to-day. The Main Street was a pandemonium to night. with yells, tin horns. drum corps, bon fines, fireworks. &c &c. I called at the Democratic Headquarters & found them quite dispondent. I received a check on State Bank of Utah #267 for \$30.00 Div #12 of Coop Wagon & Machine Co. Bro J Jack asked me to accompany Pres Woodruff & party to Saltair Beach on Wednesday. (p. 87)

Tuesday August 4. 1891. very warm. I did not go to the baths this morning. Engaged on the Council Record. Prest Geo Q. Cannon requested me to meet with him & Prest Woodruff & Smith & Bro Geo Reynolds when he explained his willingness to be made a party defendent in the suit against the B. B. & C. M. co. by Col. Trumbo et-al. Bro John M Cannon who was also present explained the reason why the Attorneys for Trumbo et-al had not put him as co defendent. being that the suit was brought against the members of the Board only who were present at the meetings & took action on the matters in dispute. we therefore concluded that Bro. Cannon could not be entered as a Co. defendant. I went to Liberty Park for an hour & an out this afternoon, & at 5 p.m. went to the Hot Springs for my bath.

Wednesday August 5/91 At 9 Oclock. Prest Woodruff & Cannon & myself with Mr. Matthew White in one carriage & Pres Jos F Smith Jas Jack. H B Clawson & E H Wilcken in another carriage & Mornoni Sheets in a buggy started for Saltair

Beach on the Shores of Salt Lake some 12 miles and west from the City we had a dry dusty ride, but arrived in good shape & were soon comfortable in the residence of Mr. White. This is the most unique & comfortable small home I ever saw & well arranged (p. 87) We looked at his flowing well which has a good flow of salty water. & then went onto the beach. the water of the Lake is now low and it is quite a way out to the water. Bros Wilcken & Sheets prepared lunch which was taken out & the party enjoyed a good meal, after which I rested drove back to the City at 3⁴⁵ p m. I called at Watson Bros for Bro Saml Barratt to go to the Lake at Garfield Beach as per arrangement but he could not go until 5 p m. I left on the 4 p m train & found Sister Barratt & Sophia there. I had a bath in the Lake & afterwards we partood of lunch & returned on the 8 p m train Samuel came out in the 5 p.m. train. I was very tired to-night

Thursday August 6. 1891. At the Gardo House & with the Presidency all morning. Bros J. H. Smith & John Morgan called on political matters. afterwards Bro Jas Sharp. I recd a check #1323. on Des Nat. Bank for \$84.00 being Dividend #39 of Z.C.M.I. on my stock. I was engaged this afternoon copying out my reports on Tithing disbursements for the Church Attorneys in the Church suit before the Master in chancery. I had my afternoon bath at the Hot Springs - Rode out to Prest Geo Q Cannon's residence this evening with Bro C. H. Wilcken. and went to bed early. (p. 89)

Friday August 7. 1891. The weather was quite cool last night I had to put more covering on my bed. Prest Woodruff & Cannon left this morning at 10²⁵ for Montpelier to Paris to attend the Bear Lake Stake conference. I called at Z C M I. & got Elizabeths dividend \$30.00 & put it on the Savings Dept of the State Bank of Utah in her name. I also got sophia's \$22.50 and \$4.50 for Leonard on his Stock. Bro Lehi Pratt called & had an interview with

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Prest Jos. F. Smith & myself He related the course of A. E. Hyde at the Hot springs last April. - In connection with what I had already stated, he said that Hyde let that Strumpet have a check for \$100.00 & a check for \$200.00- which were cashed at Ogden by Mr Needham - he also run a bill at the Saloon for Wines & liquors of \$62.00 this with the 41.00 he had with him was \$403.00 for 2/days (sic) & 1 nights sport. in a Saloon with a common strumpet. "x" I had my bath at the Hot Springs this afternoon. "x" Bro Pratt also stated that A. E. Hydes had paid to A.D. Woolley on Saturday April 25th as hush money. \$250.00 Hyde had been on this spree since Wednesday April 22nd/91. Went to Sophia's this evening. (p. 90)

Saturday August 8th 1891. I spend the day in reading & conversation. had my bath at the Springs this evening. Willie fell down today & bruised his face very much, his nose bled freely.

Sunday Aug 9th 1891. A very warm day. spent the day in reading &c - Sister Barratt called this evening for an hour. I returned to the Gardo House & found Prest Jos F. Smith there.

Monday Aug 10. 1891. I made some purchases for Sophia & bought myself a new suit of clothes. Bro. Spence accompanied me. \$25.00 I also paid to Z S B & T Co. check for \$114.00 and drew from the Bank \$1012.00 for myself & \$135.00 for Sophia I paid to Z.C.M.I. \$1147.50 for the remaining half due for 17 Shares of Z.C.M.I. Stock 12 for myself & 5 for Sophia. & got certificates of Stock therefore. I recd a letter from Elizabeth and wrote to her. Bro. Samuel S. Jones of Provo called to see me. we talked on Provo affair. He says that Pres A. O. Smoot is quite sick & feeble. & He Bro Jones. suggested that Reed Smoot be released from his mission to come home to see after his fathers private affairs. Bro Benjm M. Roberts was buried yesterday. Wilson H Dusenberry (p. 91) has resigned as Cashier of the 1st National

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Bank. Provo. Went with Sophia to the Hot springs also Willie at 5 p.m. Called on Sister Barratt this evening. & spent an hour in conversation. Same left for Soda Spring this morning.

Tuesday Aug 11. 1891. All well. Recd a letter from Bro P. W. Cownover of Aug/91. Engaged on the Council Record. I paid Goldsmith & Co \$25.00 for my suit of clothes - & bought at Z.C.M.I. a duster for \$2.50 went into & through the Equitable Co-op building. they have a neat store & goods well arranged. I had my afternoon bath. at the Hot Springs.

Wednesday Aug 12. 1891 I feel well in my health. Bro Wm Barton called this morning from the North. he is feeling & looking well. Engaged on Council Record. Took my afternoon bath. I asked permission of Prest Jos F Smith this evening to go to Provo tomorrow evening. which was granted.

Thursday Aug 13. 1891. All well this morning. I bought 2 chambers for Sophia at A C M I. for \$1.70 & called on Leonard at the Temple. they are all well. engaged on the Council Record. Wrote to Henry Crane at Fort Herrman who has some of my sheep making enquiry about them. (p. 92) made my arrangements to go to Provo this evening. It clouded up this afternoon & we had some slight Showers of rain. I went to the Hot Springs for my bath at 4 p m after which I took the R G. Western train at the springs for Provo & arrived at 803 found my family all well except my wife Elizabeth who is not feeling very well. Joseph & George were also there.

Friday Aug 14/91. Elizabeth is not any better she has pain in her chest & vomits up all she eats, her appetite is not good. I went to the Court House & J. E Booths office & enquired attorney City assessment. found I was not assessed as my neighbors & with the Mayor & city Assessor corrected my assessment which Wm Samuelson said he would report to the city council. I called at the Tithing office & saw Bro Jas. W. Bean & found out if he had learned any

thing more about the deed from R. Breherton for the Temple block &c. he had not.. I also went to the Recorders office to see if a deed was not there did not find one, called on Bro P. W. Conover at his home. found him well. also called at the Provo Factory, saw a many of my old friends who were glad to see me. I got very tired today. Geo Shumway cut my hair to-day (p. 93)

Saturday. Aug 15. 1891. Called on Bro J. W. Bean & exchanged my certificates of Stock in the East coop Inst - for new ones. I have 32 Shares of \$25.00 each. I also got new certificates for my sons Leonard, Thomas. Jos W. & Geo A. $2\frac{1}{2}$ shares each. I also surrendered my certificate of Stock in the Provo Canyon Road for 8 shares too J. E Booth & received a check on the Bank for \$20.00 the road & franchize having been sold to Utah & Wasatch Counties I called at the Provo Factory & surrendered my Stock certificates for $16\frac{1}{2}$ Shares on which I had paid \$63.00 each or a total of \$1047.75 and received a certificate for 6 Shares fully paid up \$6000.00 & a certificate for \$60.00 in lieu thereof. the company having been reorganized for \$3000.000.00 and action having been taken to surrender $2\frac{1}{2}$ Shares in the old company for 1 share in the new company paid up. I also called at the Clothing Store & saw Bro Dingleton about my Stock in the "Provo Exchange" 4 shares found it was all right. I called at the West Coop Inst & exchange" the Capital Stock of my wife Elizabeth. Mary & Eleanor, for new certificates in the Provo West Cooperation Inst. called at Bro Abraham Hallidays. & then home. I felt tired. this afternoon I called on Bro S.S. Jones. as he was busy I arranged to meet him & Bro David John tomorrow. Elizabeth & myself (p. 94) called at Sister Allmans for a Short time. She is doing well Bro J. E. Booth promised that I should have the water put onto my lots. The Committee were in favor of putting a 2 inch well on my ground. I tried the water in the box

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now put in but after $2\frac{1}{2}$ hours running the water did not get through it.

Sunday Aug 16/91. It has rained every evening since I came. Elizabeth Ann & children. also Jos & Geo A came over from the farm & stayed all day. went back this evening. I talked with Joseph & George about the farm &c. Jos paid me \$10.00 on what he owes me. spent the day at home. Elizabeth has been quite unwell all the time. Bro. S. L Jones & D. John did not come to see me. Elizabeth felt some better to-night.

Monday. Aug 17. 1891. Arose early. Elizabeth some better. I hope she will improve in her health & get well again. I left by the 7⁴⁵ a m train & brought my Son Thomas Son John T. along with me & saw them safe at home. Met sister Josephine Roueche on the street car. she is well & the folks at home. Arrived at the Gardo at 10 o'clock the Presiding were all there. they arrived home all well on Saturday. Weather quite cool & comfortable after the rain. Engaged on the Council Journal (p. 95) I obtained an order for \$40.00 on the Provo Tithing office in favor of the B. Y. Academy for Eleanor & Clara's School bill. I wrote to Elizabeth & enclosed the order. I received a letter from C. A. It came on to rain about noon & continued until 4 p.m. & Kept cloudy. I called at Sophia's for an hour tonight. A grand excursion of business men was given by the R G Western R R. to Salina today. 10 coaches with 800 passengers were on the train I passed this train at Bingham Junction. clipped the following in giving an account of the trip (Newspaper clipping from "Provo Enquirer" of August 17, 1891 entitled, A Co-Incident.) from the "Daily Enquirer" Provo.

Tuesday Aug 18. 1891 It has been much cooler today. hence more agreeable. I have been engaged on the Council Record today very closely & am tired to-night.

Wednesday Aug 19. 1891 Quite cool last night. cloudy & springkling with rain this morning. I received a letter from my daughter Clara of the 18th. She

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& Eleanor started at School at the B Y. Academy on Monday. My Wife Elizabeth is much better in her health. Prest Jos F Smith told me last evening that the petition he wrote out some time since to President Benjm Harrison asking for a pardon had been signed by Judge Zane. Secretary Bells. 3 of the Utah commission (the Republicans/ & Geo A. S Thomas & been sent to Washington D.C. to the President. I hope he will soon have his freedom. I received a letter from Ruth Jones in regard to her Uncles estate in Sanpete and asking for an interview with the First Presidency. I paid into Zions Saving' Bank \$30.00 on my Savings A/c. Attended the Meeting of the Board (p. 96) of Directors of the Bank at 2 p.m. Engaged on the council Record. This afternoon I received a letter from my daughter Mary of the 18th called at Sister Barratts this evening for an hour.

Thursday Aug 22. 1891 I went to the Co Court House this morning to enquire about Sophia's tax notice. it will be sent out in about 10 days. conversed with Prest G Q Cannon on the Edward Jones Estate matter. he thought I had better see Miss R Jones & see if the matter cannot be settled outside of the Courts. A pleasant day. I called on Miss R Jones this afternoon, and after conversation on her Uncles Estate Matter, she decided that she would not go into Court with the case on any consideration; but she would write to her brother Brigham & if he is willing they will submit the whole business to arbitrators, & they will so inform ther half brother Dan. If they (sic) boys agree to this, on my being so informed, I agreed to write to Prest C Petersen and ask him if he is willing to submit the matter to Arbitration, if so to then proceed & if not then for those dissatisfied take their own course. I went to the Theatre tonight in Pres Woodruffs box & saw the play of the "Idler" by the New (p. 97) York Lyceum Theatre Company & was highly entertained with fine acting. Bro F. M Lyman slept with me

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to-night.

Friday. Aug 21. 1891. A nice morning. engaged on Council record. I received a letter from my daughter Mary of the 20th my wife Elizabeth was not quite so well that Morning, but better again in the afternoon. I wrote to Elizabeth. Prest Geo Q Cannon informed me of an interview the Presidency had with Bros M. Thatcher & Wm B. Preston & Bro H. B Clawson on Bullion Beck minig Co. affairs. wherein some plain talk was had in making explanations as to the actions of Bros Thatcher of Preston. He said he wished I had been present. I said I would have been pleased to be present, which he said would be the case if anymore such meetings were had. We talked together for a short time on those affairs & recalled several incidents which occurred in the days of Prest John Taylor. Prest Geo Q Cannon left for California this evening in the interest of the Sugar Compay &c Bro H J. Grant was to accompany him but owing to his wifes illness he did not go. I walked down home with Prest Jos F Smith & then went to Sophia. Bro J M Lyman went to Provo this morning and returned this afternoon. I had a bath at the Hot springs. (p. 98)

Saturday Aug 22. 1891. a fine day. spent the day in reading. conversation & rest. Sister Barratt called this evening -

Sunday Aug 23. 1891. All well. spent the day as on yesterday. returned to the Gardo House this evening. Met Prest Smith.

Monday Aug 24. 1891. Prests Woodruff & Smith at the office met Bro John H Smith who returned from Colorado last night. Underneath my legs is quite sore again which is very disagreeable - I received a letter from Elizabeth she is feeling some better. also a letter from Joseph. He wants another sett of Harness. I went to Chas Crows to see about the Harness & can get them. paying 1/3 in Tithing orders. Had some conversation with Bro Geo Farnworth

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of Mt Pleasant He will let me know about the price of Wheat & rates of freight when the price gets low. Bro S. J. Sudbury informed he was going to Provo this evening to see Dr John Riggs about getting some medicine to cure a cancer on his Brother's neck. Knowing Bro Riggs as I do I concluded to accompany Bro Sudbury. also to see my Wife & family, we left by the 622 p m train and arrived at 803 I saw Bro S. S Jones on the train. I found my wife Elizabeth feeling some better & the children all well. I went with Bro Sudbury & called on Bro K. G. Laeser for an (p. 99) hour. He was feeling tired & weary & had gone to bed. but revived with our talk & we administered to him. Bro S. Staid with us tonight.

Tuesday Aug 25. 1891 All well this morning. I called with Bro S. on Dr John Riggs at his home & conversed with him & his wife. afterwards obtained a box of Medicine & full directions how to use it. Which was something Bro Riggs has not done before as he always applies the Medicine himself to his patients. He told Bro S it was well I was with him in his getting the Medicine. He charged \$10.00 & said if Bro S. Brother felt like giving him any more when he got well of his cancer, he could give him what he pleased. I thought this was reasonable. We then walked up Centre Street where I met several brethren. I afterwards called on Prest A. O. Smoot at his office. Ere David John. H. H. Cluff. Bro Wride & Bro A. Holladay were also present. Bro Smoot told me of his failing health, he is troubled with Diabetis. we had a good friendly chat in which I suggested the propriety of Bro Smoot relieving himself of some of the burdens upon him & rest his body & mind. he said he felt like doing so. I spoke to them & gave my objections to the sale of the North part of the Meeting House block for business purposes also gave my reasons and left them with a better understanding. as they were not in full sympathy with the movemnt. I do not think sales will

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(p. 100) be made. I promised to see the First Presidency about it & let Bro David John Know their views. Geo A Shumway. & Elizabeth Ann & children came over from home George is quite unwell with Malaria I talked with Elizabeth about home affairs. & what I want of Joseph about the Harness. &c We called at the P. Y. Academy on the way to the train & saw Bro Maeser who was feeling better, also saw Eleanor & Clara & left by the 310 train and arrived on time Prest Smith was at home today. Pres Woodruff alone at the Office. I sat & conversed with Bro Fjelateed on the train He & Bro Geo Reynolds were returning from Richfield Conference. I called at Sophias for an hour this evening. Bro F M. Lyman slept with me.

Wednesday Aug 26. 1891 I received a letter from Henry Crane, Herriman, about my sheep. and wrote to him I wrote to Bro Roueche informing him of my intention to visit himself & family next Saturday. I called on Bp Sharp & his son James in regard to some records which were put in their charge & found out all about them. Engaged in my room reading &c conversing with Bro Geo Reynolds. Attended the Meeting of the Directors of Z. S B & T Co at 2 p m. Had my bath at the springs. (p. 101)

Thursday Aug 27th 1891 Recd a letter from my Son Joseph in regard to a sett of Harness. Bro F. M Lyman slept with me last night I talked to him about the proposed sale of a part of the Meeting House lot at Provo. He was in favor of it, but I think I changed his mind. He also learned Prest Jos F Smiths views on the matter as being opposed to it. I was engaged in my room & went to the springs this afternoon and to the Theatre tonight "The City Directory". Pres Smith had an interview with A. E. Hyde and He confessed to everything charged except connection with the Strumpet. F. M Lyman J H Smith & Lee Pratt present.

Friday Aug 28. 1891 Prest Jos F Smith & myself spoke to Prest W. Woodruff

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about the proposed sale of a part of the Provo Meeting House lot. He is opposed to it, & as he purposes attending the Stake Conference there next Sunday & Monday, he said he wanted a copy of the record which had been taken when the matter was considered by the First Presidency so that he could be posted should the matter be called up. This was furnished to him. Engaged in my room. I wrote to Elizabeth. I called on Bro McHenry and asked him if the Tithing Dept had any second hand harrnss on hand to dispose of. They have none now but he would see if there are any at the Church Farm & let me know. Bro Spence obtained a half fare permit for Sophia to go to Kaysville & return. I went to Leonards tonight, all well there & returned. I had my bath at the Springs this evening. I wrote to Ballard, Snow Linecent Co. & sent \$5.00 on P. D. Morgan for pills. (p. 102)

Saturday Aug #29. 1891 I went on the 9²² train to Kaysville Sophia in the same car. she had gone down with Bro Cushing. Bro Roueche was there with a buggy for us & we drove down. Sister R. was there, but Josephine was gone to Logan we were made welcome. & spent an agreeable day in eating melons & fruit & in conversation.

Sunday. Aug 30. 1891. All well had a nice day felt well & enjoyed my visit. We returned by the 5²⁵ p. m train & I continued on to Provo & arrived at 8. p.m. found my wife Elizabeth feeling some better, the rest all well & glad to see me.

Monday Aug 31. 1891 I concluded to spend the day at home visiting did not attend the conference Meetings. Prest W. Woodruff. & Geo. W. Cannon & apostles F. M. Lyman J. H. Smith & A. H. Cannon were there today. Georg & Elizabeth Ann & Jos & Geo A. came over from the farm & attended the meeting except Geo A. I enjoyed my visit at home in talking to the folks. & eating fruit.

Tuesday Sept 1st 1891 I left all feeling well & returned to the city on

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the 7⁴⁵ a.m R G W train. Prest Woodruff & Cannon came up on the U.P. train. leaving 15 mints before & arrivig 30 minutes after. I spent the time very Pleasantly in con-(p. 103) versation with Sister Susa Y. Gates. when Pres Woodruff arrived he was not feeling well having some diahreah & he went home. Engaged in my room in the office Daily Journal. Talked with Bro. F. M. Lyman about Bro B. Cluff Jr & the B. Y. Acadmy. Saw John Beck on the Street for a few minutes. Had my bath at the Springs. Walked out for an hour this evening.

Wednesday Sept 2. 1891. Prest Woodruff not any better did not come to the Office - Engaged in my room. I called on Dr Ellen B. Fergnson & explained about Elizabeths sickness. she said she would have some medicine & powders prepared & sent to me this afternoon. I bought a sett of Harness from Bro C H. Crow. for \$31.00 taking off one collar & hold back strap. I sent the Medicine to Elizabeth by Express. & shipped the Harness by U. P. Railway. Bro. Cushing took it & myself to the Depot. Had my bath at the springs my legs seem much better. Bro John Rider of Kanab called to see me.

Thursday Sept 3/91 I called on Leonard & found him well He says that Teenie & family are all well, that Dr. Fergnson has seen Teenie again & is going to do something for her to relieve her of what there may be so that she can get well again. At the request of Pres Geo. Q. Cannon I called on Attys F. S. Richards & Le Grand Young to obtain all the data they (p. 104) have in regard to his Bond Suit. It appears they furnished Pres. Cannon all their papers about 1 year ago. which he remembered when I told him. We had a slight shower of rain this afternoon. At the request of Prest Jos. F. Smith I examined the copy of complaint of the Josephite church against the Hedrickete church for the Temple Block at Independence Mo.. The Josephites claim to be the original church of Jesus Christ of Latter day Saints &

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that Brigham Young & the Saints who came to Utah. also the Hedrickites are branches & off shoots from them & they claim the land by deed from Edward Partridge through Oliver Cowdery's child, & Edward Partridge as the Trustee of the original church obtained the deed from the U S govermt. (sic) The Hedrickites being poor the Josephites expect to get the land from them, in which case if our church ever obtains it it will be at a heavy cost. Unless we intervene & become a party in this suit. \$3000.00 was sent to the Hedrickites to help them in their suit. I drew \$38.00--from Zion's Savings Bank & paid C. H. Crow for the Harness. \$21.00 in cash & \$10.00 in Tithing order Did not have a bath today.

Friday Sept 4. 1891. In my room. I recd from Bro Jas. Jack a check #2040 of Sept 3. 1891 on Wells Fargo & Co. for \$450.00 on account of the sale of my Inland Co. Stock. signed by Nephi W. Clayton. I deposited the same at Zions Saving's Bank & Trust Co. to my credit. (p. 105) I called on Bro Robt Campbell in behalf of Leonard to try & get him & order to some Hardware Store to enable him to get some more tools as Bro Cox has put him to work in the carpenter shop. Bro Cox told me that he intended to make a good carpenter of Leonard & would give him a good chance at the good work on the Temple. I got a promise of the first orders that came into the Tithing office or an order on R. K. Thoma's Store which Leonard can probably use. I explained this to Leonard and he felt well over it...- I recd a letter from C. A. C. - I conversed with Bro Geo Reynolds on the present out look of affairs in a church capacity & we were both of the same mind. I had an interview with Bro K. G. Maeser in regard to the B. Y. Academy & I felt to give him words of encouragement. Bro B Cluff Jr. has caused Bro Maeser much trouble through his ambitions desires to conduct the B. Y. Academy in his own way. Bro M. left me feeling well. I explained

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to him my action in preventing the sale of a part of the Provo Meeting House lot. I had my bath at the Springs & Supper at Bro Pratts.

Saturday Sept 5th 1891 I requested Bro Spence to get a ticket for Sophia to go to Logan next Monday. which he did. I attended the Morning Services of the Salt Lake Stake Conference. several young men were recomned to be ordained as Elders. ' approved. Apostle A H Cannon. Bp E. F. Sheets Bp Geo Romney & Bro Jos Felt were the Speakers. a very slim attendance. Bro Crane of (p. 106) called this morning to see me about my sheep. I waited for him to call again but he did not do so & I did not see him. I attended Meeting again this afternoon several of the Bishops reported their Wards.. I went to Sophias this evening. I had a bath at the springs.

Sunday Sept 6th 1891 Spent the day in reading. conversation & rest. Sister Barratt called for an hour this evenig which Kept me from attending Meeting as I intended. Went to the Cardo House.

Monday Sept 7. 1891 This is Labor day & a holiday. The Presidency did not come to the office. Prest Smith is at Logan I walked out & seen the Labor procession. & met Bro Edward W. Clark who now lives in this city. he is well as also his wife. I wrote to Pres M. W Merrill at Logan Temple introducing Sophia. she left by the 330 p.m. train wishing to do what she can for her health. I red a letter from Elizabeth she is feeling some better. I went to the springs & had my bath. my legs are much better - Bro John Rider called to see me. By the Press dispatches we learn that Prest B. Harrison grantd amnesty to-day to Prest Jos F. Smith. this word was sent to him by telegraph to Logan. I feel very thankful for this good word. I went to Sophias to take care of the House tonight. (p. 107)

Tuesday. Sept 8. 1891. A fine morning. I arose early & went to the Cardo House. Pres Woodruff came up this morning also Prest Geo. Q. Cannon

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Engaged in my room on Office Journal. Wrote to Elizabeth & to C. A. C. Had my bath at the springs. Went to Sophia's to take care of the house tonight. Wednesday Sept 9. 1891. I wrote to Bro Thos F. Roueche at Kaysville informing him about Josephine's recommend & our telegram to Prest Merrill to admit her to the Temple before the recommend gets there. At work on Office Daily Journal. Had my usual bath at the springs. By invitation I partook of Supper with Bro S. J Sudbury & family on this the occasion of the anniversary of his birthday. Went to Sophias to take care of the house. it rained as I went. I attend the Directors Meeting of Z S B & T co at 2 p m.

Thursday Sept 10th 1891. Rained considerable during the night & very heavy Showers this morning. Engaged in Office Daily Journal. Rained nearly all the afternoon & evening. Staid at Sophias tonight to care for the house & children.

Friday Sept 11. 1891 Quite cool during the night. clear this morning. Engaged on the Office Daily Journal. I received a letter from Elizabeth. she feels much better. and informd me of great distruction by hail & wind & rain on my farm (p. 108) at Lake View. The Fruit trees were blown down. & fruit distroyed also the standing corn & other crops. several of the cattle & some of the horses were injured by the wire fences being driven against the fences by the storm. some of our neighbors were worse damaged. Sophia returned from Logan this morning feeling better for her visit to the Temple and glad to be home again. Had my bath at the Springs this evening.

Saturday. Sept. 12. 1891 A nice morning. I went on the 950 a.m. R G. W train to Provo. found Elizabeth feeling much better & the children all well. After dinner I walked out called at Bro Booth's office to see him. also at the Court House & made a copy of my tax assessmnts for the County & Provo City. Met a number of my old friends.

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Sunday Sept 13. 1891. All well. I attended the Sabbath School in the 1st Ward and on invitation of Bp J. P. R Johnson spoke to the children. I was so filled with emotion on arising that it was with difficulty that I spoke but soon felt better. Having been so long away & being introduced to the children overcame me.. Afterwards Bro S. S. Jones & myself went through the house. & I spoke briefly to 2 of the classes, one of them the young Ladies. I walked out with Elizabeth to the New Building for the B. Y. Academy. Mary & Joseph (p. 109) also along with us. I attended the 1st Ward Meeting this evening and spoke 30 minutes to a very good congregation saw many of my old friends. Bro Foote followed, then Bro Jas E Davis & Bp Johnson. we had a good time & many scenes of old times were spoken of. I enjoyed myself very much. Bro. S. S. Jones was also present on the Stand & opened the Meeting with prayer. I paid Bp Johnson \$2.50 for the benefit of the Sabbath School of the ward.

Monday Sept 14. 1891. I arose early & leaving my folks took the 7⁴⁵ a m train for Salt Lake City. Walked up to the Gardo. met Bro H B Clawson who explained to me an interview he had with Bro John Beck on his B. B. & C M. cos. affairs. which showed that Bro Beck was not disposed to do fairly by Bro Clawson on his claim against the company. Also met Bro Frank Armstrong who explained as to his labors in Idaho. ranching &c he is doing very well. & prospering. Opening a ranch on Battle Creek a tributary of Bear River. I wrote out notices for publication of the coming Semi Annual Conference which will commence on Sunday. October 4th 1891. at 10.a.m. in the Tabernacle. Engaged on the office Daily Journal. Prest Jos. F Smith returned home from Logan on Friday evening & was at the office to-day. Had my bath at the Springs. called at Sophias she is not very well. (p. 110)

Tuesday Sept 15th. 1891 Quite cool last night & today somewhat cloudy -

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Bp. John E Booth called & I talked with him about the propped Sale of a part of the Provo meeting House Block. He is not in favor of it & has written a letter to the First Presidency about it. I also spoke to them about getting water onto my city Lots at Provo. He said the committee had reported favorably to put an iron pipe underground to convey the water. I said I wanted it done soon. that I felt like putting the matter into the hands of an Attorney so as to have action taken. I also showed him the report of the 1st city council minutes as printed in my case on taxes. which he said was not correct - The Irrigation Congress of Delegates from the Western States & Territories convened and organized today. Bro John M Cannon returned from Independence Mo yesterday. called & reported his labors on the Temple Block matter. felt that the Hidrickites would gain their suit. He brought a few peaches which grew on the Block. I got 2. He was requested to have the notices published for the proving up on the Desert Entries of Prest Woodruff Cannon. Smith & myself at Deseret Mine is set for Thursday Nov 12. 1891. Engaged in the office Daily Journal. (p. 111) I wrote to Elizabeth & sent her the notice for proving up on our Desert Land Entry for her signature. The time set for proving up is Thursday November 12. 1891. Did not go to the baths. Went to the Theatre tonight. Play "Incog" very funny. called on Bro Geo G Bywater & left my watch to be cleaned. got a New crystal put in my gold watch.

Wednesday Sept 16. 1891 Cool & Cloudy to-day. Received 3 complimentary tickets to the Concert at the Tabernacle tonight. Engaged in writing orders for Accounts in the Presidents office to meet the requirements of our attorneys in the church Suit, before the Master-in-Chancery. at the request of Prest Geo Q Cannon. Bp Dorius of Ephraim called to see me & we had a good time in conversation together. Bro Sudbury accompanied me to the Ex-

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position Building whilst the Irrigation Congress were in session I saw & heard Mr C C Goodwin, Editor of the Salt Lake "Tribune." also Hon J P Irish of California who is a fine looking man & a good speaker. Also Senator Warren of Wyoming a good friend to Utah & her people. I attended the choral Society concert at the Tabernacle and was much pleased with the entertainment.

Thursday Sept 17. 1891. Feel well this Morning. Weather cool & pleasant (p. 112) Engaged on the Order Book as on yesterday. I attended a meeting of the Z. B & T. Co at 2 p m called on Dr E. B. Jurgnson & got her prescription for Elizabeths medicine. Wrote to Elizabeth & sent the prescription. Sister Roueche called & left a can of honey with me for Prest Jos F. Smith. I took my usual bath at the Springs. Bro Lee Pratt told me that the Bamburgers are trying to get the charge of the Springs from him having offered John Beck \$500.00 per Mo. Lee is now paying \$250.00 per Mo. I agreed to have some one see J Beck was to Keep Lee there. I afterwards spoke to Prest Jos F Smith who will see Bro M Thatcher about it who has influence with Beck. Called at Sister Barratts saw Sophia there I took her home.

Friday Sept 18. 1891. Deposited \$1250.00 in the State Bank of Utah for Sophia. & bought her a new Stove. \$16.50 for her parlor - Engaged on the New order Book. Red letter from Elizabeth, all well, & returning the Desert Land Notice which I handed to Bro Geo Reynolds for Bro John M. Cannon. Sent a telegram to C.A. to Know if she can meet me on Sunday night. - The Irrigation Congress Adjourned last evening. Leonard called to see Me & told me that Teenie was safely delivered of a dead 6 months old child - last night. & that (p. 113) she is now doing very well & feels well. I had my usual bath at the springs.

Saturday Sept. 19. 1891 I paid at the G T. O. \$156.50 cash Tithing for Sophia.

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I handed Bro J. Jack the New order Book. Recd telegram all right. Called at Leonards found Teenie doing well & feeling quite cheerful. Here is a very peculiar case. She conceived and felt life at the usual time & until 6 Mo when she was taken sick & flowed considerable. yet felt all the time that she had not lost her child. she continued on from that time feeling better & worse for 7 months - (13 months in all) and was safely delived night before last of her dead babe. It was quite natural no signs of decay. The womb had become closed & it was with great effort that the Doctor delivered her. Dr E. B. Fergnson & Sister De LaMare were in attendance & brought her safely through. I gave her words of encouragement. Wrote to Elizabeth. Had some conversation with Bro Abram Hatch He felt disposed to attack John W Youngs Salary to pay his debt to the Heber Co-op store. I promised to speak to the First Presidency for him on that matter - Recd a letter for C A - I drew on an order on Bro J Jack \$20.00 for self called at Sophias this evenig I had my bath at the Hot Springs (p. 114)

Sunday Sept 20. 1891. I left on the 950 a m R. G W train for Manti. arrivd at Thistle Station at 1210 changed cars & left at 215 & arrived at Manti at 515 p m. Bro Metcalf took me up to the Temple Hotel in his carriage. met C A C at the Depot. Met Bro. McCune of Lehi at the Hotel. spent the evening in conversation.

Monday Sept 21. 1891 It commenced raining about 630 a m & continued until 12 noon made the ground very muddy. I went to the Temple with Bro McCune & C. A. C. & went through the building. It is truly beautiful in all its parts. conversed with Bro Anderson one of the Recorders & others of the brethren workers. called on Sister Maiben this afternoon. Bro Maiben engaged at the Tithing office. Sister M. expressed herself as feeling bad at their circumstances & wanted one to have a talk with Bro Maiben. I gave her all the

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comfort I could for they have been very Kind to me. spent the evening at the Hotel in singing &c several saints from Payson & other places arrived for Temple work.

Tuesday Sept 22. 1891 Raining hard this morning & continued all the day went to the Temple in the Temple vehicle. There were quite a number of baptisms for renewal of health and for the Dead. I met Prest A. H. Lund who received (p. 116) me very Kindly & had conversation with him. I felt much impressed to be baptized for my health and Bro Alstrom provided me suitable clothing so I was baptized 7 times by Bro John Bench. Bro Simon T. Beck was mouth in blessing me & Bros David F F uns & John Haber were witnesses. Sister Hannah Wells wife of the late Prest D. H. Wells & her Son Gashem & Miss Sheets with others arrived at the Hotel this evening. Bro Wells & sister Sheets to be married. I spent the evening in conversation & singing Hymns &c could not go out for the rain & mud. conversed with Sister C.A.C. Bro Wells slept with me.

Wednesday Sept 23rd 1891 Rained most of the night and all of to-day. Went to the Temple in Bro M. conveyance. at the opening services in the Temple. Prst Lund asked me to speak to the Saints which I did and had good freedom. I followed up in the Endowmnts. Had Prest Lund & some of the brethren administer to me for my health. Bro McCune anointed and Prest Lund Mouth in blessing. I conversed with Bro Lund on the subject of adoption & promised to send him what I wrote as dictated by Prest John Taylor on that subject. Met with Sister C in the Sealing room & we confirmed our covenant with each other. At Bro Lunds request I assisted as witness to the Sealings both for the Living & the Dead. and signed 8 Licences & certificates as Witness. I spent an enjoyable day also assisted in anointing & blessing for health of several persons (p. 116) I met Bro John B. Maiben this evening at the Hotel

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& he told me of his labors & circumstances. & promised to write me if he needed assistance or counsel from the Presidency. We spent the evening in Testamonies. & Singing. I spoke of our adventure in the Colorado River when Bp Roundy was drowned & the miraculous escape of Prest D. H. Wells also on the effecacy of Prayer in the preservation of Prest Taylor & party while he was on the underground & until his death

Thursday Sept 24. 1891. Bade adiew to the good saints, gave Sister C 10.00 paid \$300 for my room & board. and left by train at 9.20 a.m. arrived on time at Thistle station 1215 p m. & staid their until 4 p.m. the Eastern train being nearly 2 hours late. arrived at Salt Lake city at 600 p m went to the Gardo. found that Pres Jos F Smith had received his Amnesty papers last Monday Sept 21st and he had been using his freedom some. I called at Sophias' & found them all well Recd a letter from Elizabeth of the 23rd She & all were well. for which I am truly grateful. I slept at the Gardo House. I went to the Theatre for a while this evening

Friday Sept 25/91 Met Prest Jos F Smith. he let me read his Amnesty papers and he felt well had visited nearly all the brethren & sisters with whom he had lived while on the under-(p. 117) ground. Prest Woodruff & Cannon are also well. and came to the Gardo. I made a few purchases for Sophia as she requested me. and been engaged on the New Order book for the accounts of the Presidents office. Leonard called on me at noon & says Teenie is quite feeble yet, but getting some strength. The children are well. but Christy has a cough. The weather is quite cool to-day. & cloudy. I paid for the repairs on my shoes at Solomon. Bors. 50¢ - I had a bath at the Springs Bro W. J. Beattie & wife also were there. called at Sophias for an hour.

Saturday. Sept. 26. 1891. Weather quite cool. Engaged on the Order Book.

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Made some purchases for Sophia & paid Marks & Cos bill. Drove out this afternoon with Prest Jos F. Smiths to the Hot Springs Bro Geo Cannon & C H Wilcken also drove out had a good time. I went down to Provo on the 620 p.m. train, found all well on my arrival. I attended a meeting of the Stockholders of the Deseret News company this afternoon & Elected Directors Sunday Sept 27. 1891 Spent the day with my wife & family. The boys & G. A. Shumway & Elizabeth Ann came over from the farm.

Monday Sept 28/91. Returned to the City by the 7.45 a.m. train. Sister Susa Y. Gates on the train, we conversed together all the way. I finished writing on the New order Book for the Presidents office. Pres Jos F Smith attended the meeting yesterday & spoke to the Saints (p. 118) after an absence from the Meetings of over 7 years. He felt well as did all the Saints. Prest Geo Q. Cannon followed him. I received. a check on the State Bank of Utah #52. for \$37.50 being the 23rd dividend of the B. B. & C. M. Co on my Stock. This morning I met Bp J. P. R. Johnson at Provo. He informed me that the People of Provo had appointed the 4 Bishops of the Wards a committee to meet with and learn the minds of the First Presidency from their own words as to the sale of a portion of the Provo Meeting House block on the North side. They expect to meet after confernce I asked the Bishop to ordain my Son Wilford to the office of a Deacon which he said he would do. Bro. C. H. Wilcken told me this morning that he had found Bro Lehi Pratt intoxicated one day last week. and he wanted me to accompany him to visit Lee so as to give him a good talkig to. I promised to go with him for I have much respect for Bro Pratt & dont want him to go to the bad.- I saw Leonard and he says thats Teenie is improving slowly & the rest of the family are all well. Had my usual bath at the Hot springs. Mr C E Dallin is making a small statue of the late Prest Brigham Young, as a pattern of the one

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to be enlarged. I examined it & found it correct (p. 119)

Thesday Sept 29. 1891 A fine day. Engaged on the Office Daily Journal.

I wrote to Prest Abram Hatch. also to Bro Henry Crane of Herriman about my Sheep & requested him to turn my Sheep over to Bro Jas G Crane. Bro Crump of Herriman called on me this afternoon & wanted to take my sheep in the Crane Herd & pay me 40 cents per year for them. I explained to him what I had written to Bro Crane and as he & Bro Crane are on their way to the herd I sent another letter by him to turn the sheep over to Bro Jas. G. Crane on the old terms 2 lbs of wool per head per year & 1 lamb to every 10 sheep increase. Prest A. O. Smoot of Provo called. he is feeling some better in his health but quite feeble. He went home again this evening. I went to the Theatre saw Thos W. Keene in the play of Louis XI. very well played.

Wednesday. Sept 30. 1891. Very cold this morning. I made arrangements for the purchase of some Glass Jars & sugar for my wife Elizabeth and wrote to her about them. I am engaged on another Order book for the Presidents office in opening new accounts. I attended the meeting of the Board of Zion's Saving's Bank & Trust company at 1. p.m. Went to the Theatre to night play of "Shylock." Bro F M Lyman slept with me last night

Thursday Oct 1st 1891. Snowed at intervals all day. Bro J. E. Talmage invited me to attend the Fast day Services at the (p. 120) Latter-day Saints College at 10 a.m. which I did Bro Alston accompanied me. Prest Jos F Smith & Elder F. M. Lyman also present. We all spoke to the Students & bore our testimonies. I attended the meeting of the Presidency & Apostles at 2 p.m. and kept the record. conversed with Elders F. M. Lyman & A. H. Lund during the evening and went to the Theatre at night. Play of Richard III. Bro F. M. Lyman slept with me last night & tonight

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Saturday Oct 3/91 My Wife Elizabeth came up from Provo on this Mornings train and I met her. we went to Leonards & Thomas' found them all well. Then came up town called at Madsen & Cos & examined their cooking ranges. also called at Z.C.M.I. where she made some purchases. We then called on Leonard at the Temple Work Shop and at 4 p m she left for home on the train. She having only come up for the day. I went out to the Hot Springs & got a bath. called at Sophias evenng (p. 121)

Sunday Oct 4. 1891. The 62nd Semi Annual Conference convened this moring at 10 Oclock in the Large Tabernacle. I attended the Morning Services. President Wilford Woodruff. Presided Pres Geo Q Cannon & Jos F. Smith were also present also Apostles L. Snow. F D Richards. F. M. Lyman. H. J. Grant J. W Taylor. M W. Merrill. A. H Lund & A H Cannon also 6 of the Presidency of the 70s & the Presidency Bishopric. Elder M. W. Merrill prayed. & Prest W. Woodruff express his thanks. for the blessings received & the privilege of attending another Conference He felt to say God bless President Harrison for granting amnesty to Prest Jos F. Smith also to bless every other man who had as assisted to bring this about. Prest Jos F. Smith followed & then Pres Geo. Q. Cannon. Benidiction by Patriarch John Smith. I attended the afternoon services. Prayer by Elder S. B Young. Elders Lorenzo Snow. F D. Richards Pres W Woodruff & Elder John W. Taylor spoke. Bp. W. B Preston dismissed. An overflow meeting was held in the assembly Hall. at which Elder F. M. Lyman presided. Thos E Taylor prayed. Elder H J. Grant. Bp O. F. Whitney. Apostle A. H. Lund & Elder B H Roberts were the speakers. Elder Lyman offered the benidiction. I attended the Priesthood meeting at 7 Oclock. Prest Geo Q Cannon (p. 122) Jos F. Smith & W. Woodruff. The nature powers. duties and responsibilities of the Priesthood were dwelt upon. also other subjects & a good spirit prevailed - Employment should be

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furnished to the poor. Missionaries should be appointed to visit among the Saints at their homes. To refrain from all conduct that is improper and exercise an influence for peace. given the families in love avoiding all firms of harshness -

Monday October 5. 1891. I attended the Conference Meeting. at 10 a.m.

Prayer by Elder J. D T Mcallister. Elders F.M. Lyman H.J Grant & M W Merrill were the Speakers Benidiction by Elder Jos E Taylor.- The Territorial Fair was opened at 12 M. - I attended the General Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Z C M I. at the Shoe Factory at 1215 p m. The report of the President was read & adopted The old Board of Directors & President Secretary & Treasurer were re-elected viz "W Woodruff Pres" M. Thatcher vice Prest. T G. Webber Sec. A W Carlsen Treasery. Geo. Q. Cannon. Jos F. Smith, John Sharp H J Grant. Geo Romney. J R Winder, H Dinwoody J. R Barnes. P. F. Farnsworth. W. H. Rowe. & John Henry Smith Directors. adjoined 3% dividend was declared (p. 123) I afterwards attended the ceremonies at the "Eagle Gate" In the South East Pillar a cavity had been made in the base. wherein a small box should be placed. The box a tin one contained copies of the News papers. "Deseret News" & Salt Lake Herald" daily Semi Weekly & Weekly. also in "Tribune" of July 26. 1891 also the "Juvenile Instructor." A package of Photographs carefully sealed in an Oil skin covering of the "Gardo" "Bee Hive" & "Lion" Houses. The old Eagle Gate. Temple, Tabernacle & likenesses of Brigham Young. W Woodruff. Geo Q Cannon. & Jos F Smith, John Henry Smith & D. H. Wells. by C E. Johnson - also a collection of photographs from C R. Savages Art Gallery. together with a beautiful polished plate of pure copper bearing the following inscription engraved by Bro David McKenzie. "The Eagle Gate was erected in 1859. Hiram B. Clawson designer. Ralph Ramsey & Wm Bell carvers. It formed part of a cobble stone wall eight feet hight and 500

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rods long. which surrounded the grounds of President Brigham Young, and was built by him as a protection against Indians, and to furnish labor to the unemployed. Torn down in 1890 to widen the street and to permit the passage of electric cars. Rebuilt in 1891." Business and visiting cards bearing the names (p.124) of nearly all present were also placed in the box. mine among the rest together with the date. Prest Geo Q Cannon closed the box & put it in the cavity at 110 p m. and at 113 p m the Stone was laid there were no speeches. the affair was altogether quiet & unpretentious. After dinner I attended the conference Meeting at 2 p.m. Prayer by Elder B. H. Roberts. Wlder Moses Thatcher & Prests. W Woodruff & Geo. Q. Cannon spoke. Elder C. W. Penrose offered the benidiction.. I attended the Sunday School concert this evening and was highly entertained my Son William took part in the Juvenile choir. Sister Roueche & Geo Sister & Sophia went, also. Sister Sarah H. Taylor & daughter Harriet. I have met with many friends during the conference & received many expression of thankfulness at my return to liberty with blessins's for the future.--

Tuesday October 6th 1891 Fine Weather. I attended conference Meeting.

Prayer by Elder Daniel D McArthur. Elder C. W. Penrose spoke & referred to the false statments set forth in the Annual report of the Utah commission to the Secretary of the Interior of the U.S. in regard to the Latter day Saints. followed by Prest W. Woodruff Elders M. Thatcher. F S Richards & John T. Caine on this same subject Bro John Clark moved that a committee of five be appointed to draft & present to the Conference resolutions as will refute and deny these statements and set in proper order our views in regard to these matters. This was seconded by several persons & carried unanimously with a combined shout of Ayes that seemed to shake the building. On Motion Prest W. Woodruff named John Clark, chairman. Wm H. Rowe, C. W

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Penrose. John T. Caine & F. S. Richards as the committee. to report their resolutions at 2 p m to-day Benediction by Elder John R. Murdock. At 2 p M. I attended Meeting. Prayer by Elder John Nicholson, Elders A. H. Lund & A. H. Cannon spoke, as the committee were not ready to report. Afterwhich the committee arrived & Elder John T Caine read the report and resolutions XI Mr Chas Ellis made a few remarks in favor of the resolutions & offered an amendment also Bro B H Roberts. The preamble & resolutions were unanimously adopted by raising the right hand & saying aye. Elder John T. Caine also read a declaration of the First Presidency on the same subject. X2 on motion of Bro M. Thatcher this declaration was received & endorsed as true. Prest G. Q. Cannon presented the authorities of the church who were sustained by vote. Pres Jacob Gates. Patriarch Lorenzo Young. Pres Geo Q Cannon & Pres Woodruff spoke Prest Woodruff blessed the people & after singig offered the (p. 125) (Newspaper clipping from the "Deseret Evening News" of October 7, 1891, on Committee Report and Preamble and Resolutions.) benidiction & conference adjourned till April 1892. We have had a most glorious time at Conference I can fully appriciate it because I have not been able to attend a conference since October 1884 now 7 years. I went to the Territorial Fair after Meeting.. & to the Theatre tonight. The Home Dramatic Assn played "Called Back." I talked with Sister Elizabeth Boice and Agnes Schwartz. sisters of the late Prest John Taylor in regard to the records of the family. Sister B. promised to let me have the record so that I can examine it & get names ready to do work for in the Temple. Sister Celia Bean daughter of Sister C A Cownover called to see me. I was glad to make her acquaintance - invited her & husband to dine tomorrow.

Wednesday October 7, 1891. Bro Jas L Bunting of Kanab called to see me & we conversed in regard to my Kanab property he will rent my house & lot for

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2 years with the proviter of my clsng the rental on due notice if I want to sell My son Thomas called to see me about a claim made upon him of \$135.00 on his lot. after explanation I told him he could have the amount collected from the man who sold him the Lot. My daughter Mary came up from Provo & called to see me. As I was going to a meeting of the Presidents of Stakes. Bishops &c I requested her to go to the Fair & then call on me after. which she did - I attended the meeting & we had a (p. 127) good time for 5 hours. Many subjects of interest - Political matters. Finishing the Salt Lake Temple Defense fund. Sugar company. Employing the Poor. Whitneys History of Utah &c &c - I met Mary & went with her to Thoma's & Leonards. had supper at Thomas took her to the Ice Manufacturig Works also to Bro Morris. works. - & in the evening took her up town as she expected to go to the Theatre with some of her Provo Teachers. We did not find her party so she returned to Thoma's with the expectation of starting home in the monig Pres Jos F. Smith informed me that the First Presidency are going to Deseret on Friday. so I sent word to Elizabeth to get ready. I called at Sophia's & met sister Josephine Roueche there. afterwards went with Bp A. Driggs to the Theatre & saw a part of the play of "Cleopatra" Fanny Devenport in the Title role. This is a fine play.

Thursday October 8/91 At the Gardo House. went with Bro C. H. Wilcken to the U. P. Supts office & secured a special car for Prest Woodruff & party to go to Deseret. & arranged with Bro Spence for transportation. I telgraphed to Elizabeth as follows. "Meet train which leaves here four Oclock Friday afternoon at (p. 128) Provo depot." We expect to return on Sunday Morning. Elder John W. Taylor wants to get some \$2000.00 from Sophia & give her good security. I talked with him about it. also about the stock on the B. B. & C M Cos. belonging to the Estate of Prest John Taylor. He told me they had

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sold the Stock for \$250.00 to John Teck, and hold the Stock in security. He has paid some \$60.000.00 which has been divided among the heirs. I talked with him about my bill against the company and walked with him to the U. P. depot making explanations. he said he would talk to Bro Moses Thatcher about it. Bro James A Cusing asked me to sign a note with him for \$150.00 at Zions Savings Bank & Trust Co. Bank. which I did. payable in 3 months. I do not like to do such a thing. but to be a friend Bro Jimmy, I did do so, on his positive declaration to see the note paid on time. I wrote out Prest John Taylors views on Adoption for Bro A. H. Lund & handed the same to him yesterday. I went with Bro C. H. Wilcken to Becks Hot Springs and we had a good talk with Bro Lehi Pratt about his drinking, he took our admonitions very kindly & felt humble & said he would stop & not throw himself away. he said he had not drank any since Bro Wilcken saw him (p. 129) intoxicated in the city. I called at Sophia's & talked with her about loaning Bro John W Taylor the money he wants, and she will let him have it. He promised to call on me on Monday next.

Friday Oct 9. 1891. A fine day. Bro Spence obtained transportation for Myself, Bro C. H. Wilcken & sister Jos F. Smith free. & half fare for my wife Elizabeth \$5.90) to go to Deseret & return, & handed me the tickets. I wrote to Bro S. S. Jones, Provo in reply to his Letter recd Oct 2/91.- Bro John Rider of Kanab called to bid me adieu as he purposes leaving for home tomorrow morning. I was glad to see him. I wrote to Bro Wm H Kelsey of Springville and sent an order for \$32.00 on the Springville Tithing Office. for my wife Elizabeth. I prepared to leavy by the 4. p m train for Deseret. At 4 p m. Prest Woodruff. Geo Q. Cannon. Jos Fm. Smith & wife Julina myself. Bro C H Wilcken Asabel Woodruff & Bro Oevando Beebe left by train in the U P. Directors car. At Provo my wife Elizabeth joined us. We got supper at the Station House. We had beds for 7. & clothing enough for the other 2. and

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were quite comfortable. Arrived at Oases at 1 a.m. but Kept our beds until Morning. our car was put onto a switch. (p. 130)

Saturday October 10. 1891 We arose early. Bp Wm Pratt of B Hinckley & Bp John Styler of Oasis came with teams for us. Bro Wilcken, myself & Elizabeth went with Bp John Styler to his home for Breakfast. The other brethren & sister Smith went to Bro Gibbs at Deseret. After breakfast we went with Bro Stayler to Deseret & with the party to the Township taken up by our company. drove 8 Miles to the companys Farm House. which is Kept by Bro Aldrich & family. Here our party met Bro Jesse W. Fox. C. D. Haure.. Bro Robison of Fillmore. & Jesse Martin of Leipio also Bro. Isaac Wicker and Bro. of Deseret We found that the water could not be got into Prest Smiths & my land for want of time as the notice had not reached the brethren. but the water was on Prest Woodruffs & Cannons land, & they dave (sic) to theirs. Whilst Pres Smith & wife. myself & wife & Bros Styler, Martin & Wicker drove to our land. Found it nice and level & rather choice. 2 Sand Knolls on your land, but they are not much detriment. I was well pleased with my land. we drove to the contemplated Townsite. & back to the farm house. Where a good dinner was provided for all (p. 131) the party. After dinner we considered as to whether we would stop until Tuesday next when Bro Hawn said he could have the water on our land. or go back & return We decided to go back & return Next Monday night week, as Prest Smith had meeting to attend on next Monday morning. We next arranged for the water to be gotten on to Pres Smith. Mine C H. Wilcken & B Y. Hamptons land. Then the party drove along the main canal to the Dam at the river, which we found a very good one. In fact the dam, canal & ditches are all done in first class style. We then drove to Bro. I. Wickers at Deseret & partook of Supper. Then attended

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meeting at 7 p.m. The house was crowded with an intelligent congregation Bp Milton Woody presided. Bro Robinson prayed. Prest Smith spoke 20 minutes L. J. Nuttall 8 mintes. C. H. Wilcken 5 mints. Bp Pratt dismissed. We had an enjoyable time. Drove to the car and soon went to bed The Oasis Brass Band gave us a serenade. The train came along about 1 Oclock & took us along. We traveled over 30 miles to-day and were tired. but felt well. The Saints were much pleased to have the Presidency and brethren visit them. (p. 132)

Sunday October 11/th 1891. We arrived at Provo at 7:15 a m. the brethren took breakfast at the Station. Elizabeth & I went home from all well. Joseph has had an attack of Malaria but he is getting better of it. Elizabeth Ann & children & Geo Shumway & our George came over & spent the day. This afternoon I went with G A Shumways to. Bro Walter Cox residence and talked with him about having the corners of my land bought from him established. as Mr Bolelton is disputing some of the lines made by the County Surveyor. Bro Cox said he would attend to it right away. I requested Joseph to see the County surveyor about lines over at the farm. & have him maintain the same.

Monday October 12. 1891. I returned to Salt Lake City by the 7:15 a m R. G. W train, found the brethren all well at the Gardo House The Utah Sugar Company started their works this morning. I have been engaged on the New order book today. I arranged with Bro John W. Taylor to let him have \$2000.00 of Sophias money. but did not conclude the matter today. I went to the Hot Sprigs & got a bath. Sister Marks went with me. called at Sophias for an hour this evenig. (p. 133)

Tuesday October 13. 1891. A fine day. Engaged on the New order book for the Presidents office. Leonard called on me at noon. I wrote to my son Joseph about buying wheat at Provo. I called at the Presiding Bishops office &

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learned from Bp R. T. Burton that they would sell me what wheat I wanted at the Provo Tithing office. Bro F M Lyman slept with me tonight.

Wednesday October 14. 1891 Engaged on the new order Book. yesterday I handed the \$2000.00 to Bro John W Taylor & got his note for the same payable 1 year after date. with 10% interest per anum. He promised to bring me some good securities. I receivd a letter and \$11.00 for Wool money from Bro Henry Crane for my Sheep. which he says he delivered to James G Crane who will call on me & give a receipt for them. I received a check #60 for \$37.50 dividend on my B. B. & C M. Cos Stock. I went with Bp A Driggs to the Theatre tonight. "Sol Smith Russell in Peaceful Valley."

Thursday October 15. 1891 Cloudy all day. like for rain but it Kept off. Finished the New order book. Receivd a letter from Joseph about the Wheat and wrote to him (p. 134) again asking the price. Thomas called to see me last evening. about the claim for Mr Fielding on his City lot. I gave him advice not to become engaged in the matter & not to agree to pay any amount as he had paid for his lot & got a Warranted deed. I recd a letter from my daughter Clara asking me to attend the B. Y. Adademy exercises tomorrow on "Founders day." it being 16 years since the Adademy was founded. I got out some more papers for F. S. Richards on the Tithings, for use in the Church Suits which comes on Next Monday before the Master-in Chancery. Busy on the Office Daily Journal. By F M Lyman slept with me last night.

Friday October 16. 1891 I went to Provo on the 955 a.m. R. G. W. train. arrived at 113- found all well. after dinner I called on Bro Jas W. Bean at the Tithing office & found I could get 300 bushels of Wheat at 80¢ per bus in orders. He will reserve that amount for me & not raise on the price. I saw & conversed with Bro Peter W Cownover & Jacob Gates. called on Bro Halliday about plastering my Kitchen repairing the plaster on my

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house also to color the outside & give me his price for doing it. I also enquired about paints to paint my house. I went with Mary to the P. Y. Academy (p.135) ball this evening. Eleanor & Clara also there. and enjoyed myself. By request I led off in two Marches. only met a few that I knew. My wife Elizabeth is not feeling well this evening. I picked several baskets of apples this afternoon and put them away in boxes for winter:

Saturday October 17. 1891. Elizabeth is feeling some better this morning. I got my breakfast & left by the 745 a m R.G.W. train & arrived at the City on time. walked up to the Gardo House. Prests Woodruff & Cannon were there. I obtained an order on Bro Jas Jack for \$10.00 in favor of Bro John Picketts family. by request of Bro Geo Reynolds. I received a check #365 on the State Bank of Utah for \$22.50 being 1 1/2 percent 1st dividend on my Stock in the Bank for the Quarter ending October 15/91. Engaged on the papers for use in the Church suits on Monday next. I recd a check #491 on the State Bank of Utah for Elizabeth for \$15.00 & sent it in a letter to her for her endorsement. Went to Becks Hot Springs & had a bath. went to Sophias this evening.

Sunday Oct 18. 1891 Spent most of the morning in bed I had a severe cold & some fever. felt some better during the afternoon & night - but had a severe headache. Sister Barratt called & spent an hour. I went to the Gardo House & took some pills before going to bed (p. 136)

Monday October 19. 1891. The brethren of the First Presidency attended the Court of the Master in Chancery in the Church suits Prests Woodruff & Cannon testified. I have been engaged on the New Account Books in the Presidents office & making out for final statement of the Accounts. Bro John W Woolley called to see me and I went with him & Sister Precinda Aimballs residence & introduced him. his wife & daughter Anny wish to be washed & anointed. suitable arrangements were made I spent a short time with sister

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Kimball in conversation, both of us feeling glad to meet again after a long absence. I attended the Theatre with Bp. A. G. Driggs. The play of the "Dazzler." Miss Kate Castleton.

Tuesday, October 20. 1891. We had intended to go to Deseret yesterday afternoon., but as Prest Jos F Smith was expected to be at court this morning our trip was differed until the afternoon. I so informed Elizabeth by telegram. The Presidency attended court and Prest Jos F Smith testified this morning. I deposited some money at the State Bank of Utah for Sophia & paid \$32.55 on cash Tithing for her. I also bought a "Home comfort" Range for Elizabeth also a copper boiler. steel sauce pan & Iron heater for \$66.00 (p. 137) and paid for it. Bro Williams promised to ship it this afternoon. The first cost was \$73.00. I finished the statements of the Account books & put them on Prest Geo. Q. Cannons table. Prepared for starting to Deseret this afternoon at 4 oclock. Prest Jos F. Smith & wife Juliaa, C H. Wilcken & daughter Minnie, Sister B. Y. Hampton. John Q. Cannon. Frank J. Cannon, Jesse W Fox & myself left on the 4 p m U.P. train for Deseret. at Provo my wife Elizabeth joined us, we arrived at Oasis at 1 a.m & had beds at the Hotel. which had been arranged for. Bro Kinder Keeps the Hotel.

Wednesday October 21. 1891. Arose early. After breakfast. Teams having been provided our party drove to the Township entry of our land I rode with Bro Harder. Bro Josiah Bennett took 3 of the Sisters 1 Prest Smith & wife rode in Bro Millers buggy. at the farm we met Bro Chas. D Haun. We drove onto our land going over Bro Hamptons. then Pres Smiths. then mine & then Bro Wilckens so that we had a good view of all the land & water ditches. the water was runing in the ditches and out in many places on the land. We had dinner at Bro Aldridges. at the farm house, & afterwards drove to Deseret to Bro W. V. Blacks residence. here we had supper and a Meeting of the

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Saints having been called for this evening we attended Meeting. After the Singing & prayer Pres Smith requested me to speak which I did for 47 mnts Bro C H Wilcken followed for 15 mnts & Pres Jos F Smith for (p. 138) 45 minutes with good freedom. a very enjoyable time was had. It was concluded that we will stay over tomorrow & drive down the river to hunt & fish. I & wife & Pres Smith & wife slept at Bro. W. V. Blacks. The hearing of the Church suits was had before the Master in Chancery to-day.

Thursday October 22. 1891 My wife Elizabeth went to spend the day with Bro & Sister Reed late of Orderville. Prest Smith. myself Bro C H Wilcken. W. V. Black & Josiah Bennett drove down the river 10 miles to Bro crafts. he was not at home but sister craft made us welcome & gave us some bread & milk & fruit. also let their hired man accompany us with their sceine to the lake to fish. we caught 15 nice carp one weighed $9\frac{1}{2}$ pounds another 7 lbs & the others from 3 to 5 lbs each Bro Smith also shot some snipes. we saw flocks of Geese & Ducks but could not get near them. On returnig home Bros Wilcken & Bennet got wet to their waist. riding on a cart & crossing a branch of the river we had quite an experience in returning the waters were high. The Bros Cannon had shot 3 geese, 10 ducks & 13 snipes. we returned to Bro Blacks & after supper spent the evenig in conversation until 10 oclock when we drove to Oasis station 2 miles. & waited for the train. Bro Wilcken summed up our expenses. which amounted to (p. 139) \$5.05 for Bros Smith, Wilcken, Hampton, myself. John Q & F J Cannon. I paid my proportion so did Bros Smith & Cannon at 1. a m we boarded the train & tried to get some sleep. but the cars are very uncomfortable. there being no intention of the U. P. company apparently to treat passengers with any degree of comfort. we arrived at Juab at 440 changed cars & arrived at Provo at 715 a m. The Church suit was argued today

Friday. Oct. 23. 1891. Prest Jos F Smith, had no objections to my stopping

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off at Provo this morning. & requested me to inform Bro G. H. Brimhall that he would be at Provo next Sunday to attend the Young Men's Conference. which I attended to. I got 3 of our fish. I stopped at Provo & the party went on. found my family all well & my wife Elizabeth feeling better for her trip. I busied myself in picking apples & putting them away in boxes. also in preparing some apples for preserving &c - the Church suit was concluded today.

Saturday, October 24. 1891. I engaged myself & children in gathering apples and caring for them. Joseph & George came from over the river & went to the U. P. Depot for the Range which I bought & we put it up in place & found it all right.

Sunday October 25. 1891. All well. The children attended the Meetings at 10 & 2 p m. I have some of a cold. I attended the evenig (p. 140) meeting. Bro C W Penrose spoke very well in regard to the Spirit of Man. followed by Pres Jos F Smiths. Prest Smith spoke a short time in the morning and all the time in the afternoon Meetings. Joseph & Geoge also attended the meetings.

Monday, October 26. 1891. I left Provo on the 745 a.m. train for Salt Lake City. Prest Jos F. Smith & Bro C. W. Penrose & wife also on the train arriv-
ed on time. & went to the Gardo. Pres Woodruff & Cannon attending the Bannock Stake Conference. I was kept busy at the Gardo & Presidents office. Conver-
sed with Bro Jas Jack in regard to the Manner of Keeping the Trustee in
Trusts account books. went to the Hot Sprigs for my bath. Bro Lee Pratt
informed me that he had receved written notice to quit at the Sprngs on
the 19th of next month. I spoke to Pres Jos F. Smith about it also to Bro
C. H. Wilcken to try & get some influence to bear on John Beck to retain
Lee in his present position as manager at the baths, Bro Smith promised to
see Bro M Thatcher about it. & Bro Wilcken would see Pres Geo. W. Cannon.

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on the subject. I called at Sophia's this eveing. I find there is much feeling among the people in regard to the testimony given by Prest Woodruff & Cannon in the Manifesto before the Master in Chancery. Sophia feels all right & I gave her all the encouragement I could to keep quiet & we would trust in the Lord to help us to do our duty (p. 141) to each other & to the Church. we did not feel that the Lord wished us to abandon our covenants or fail in doing our full duty; but to trust in Him & do right. for we were joined together in the Holy bonds of Matrimony according to His revelations & we could not repudiate our position & condition in life. I am troubled with a cough & cold. Leonard called to see me. His wife Teenie is quite unwell.

Tuesday, October 27. 1891. I arranged for the payment of my taxes in Utah County & Provo City. also for Sophias taxes in the city. I got \$45.00 from her last night & paid her Terr. Co & School taxes \$47.18 at got from Bro Jas Jack the cash for my Utah Co Taxes. \$.46.15 and for Sophia's city taxes \$.43.56 I wrote to Bro W. H. Brown & sent the money for my Utah co Taxes & wrote to T.M. Samuelson about my Provo City taxes. I received a check on the State Bank of Utah for the 13 dividend of the Co-op Wagon & Machine Co. #372 for \$30.00. I drew \$160.00 at Zion's Savings Bank & Trust co. to buy Wheat at Provo & handed it to my son Leonard to procure orders. I called at the Temple Block to see him but he was not there. I conversed with Bro Cox. & Leonard called on me this afternoon. Teenie is some better. I wrote to Elizabeth & was engaged in the office daily Journal. a fine day. Pres Woodruff & Cannon returned this morning. Bro Spence showed me a petition to Prest B. Harrison which he was copying. asking for Amnesty for the Saints who are in the Polygamie relation. Pres Jos F (p. 142) Smith informed me that Bro Brigham Young had sent a letter informing the Presidency

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that Bro John W. Young is seriously troubled with rheumatism & sciatica, also an abcess in one foot & his conditin is quite serious. He is now in Paris. France. My cough still hangs on to me.

Wednesday October 28. 1891 Bro F. M Lyman slept with me last night. I am engaged on the Office Daily Journal. Wrote to C.A. Had some talk with John Beck on Mine matters - Recd letter from Bro Jas W. Bean in regard to Bro Peter. W. Cowmover's necessities & wishing me to use my influence in his behalf with the Presidency for his relief.

Thursday October 29. 1891 A cool day. somewhat cloudy. engaged on Office Daily Journal. Recd letter from Wm H Brown with tax receipts for Utah County also a notice of \$5.90 due on Van Gaurd School Dist. called on Sister Ruth Jones & her mother in regard to the proposed suit in the courts of the Heirs of her late Uncles estate & Bro Canute Peterson the Administrator. Arthur Brown is engaged as their attorney on a percentage of what is obtained called at Sister Barratts this evening for 1 1/2 hours. Samul & Sophia also present. Paid \$6.00 for a load of Wood. (p. 143)

Friday. October 30. 1891. A fine morning, engaged on the Office Daily Journal & other writing, copying of Revelations through Frest John Taylor. for myself. went to the Hot Sprngs for my bath. Went to the Theatre this evening & Heard the "Innes" Brass Band 13th Infantry of New York & was highly entertained:

Saturday Oct 31st 1891. I went to Provo on this mornings 9⁵⁰ train: found my Wife Elizabeth & family all well. I called on Mr Clayton & had him send a lan to fit the pipes from a barrell to our New range. I afterwards called on Bro P. W Cowmover Jas W Bean at the Tithing Office & arranged further about the 300 bushels of Wheat I want to get. Yesterday \$100.00 was appropriated by the First Presidency in behalf of Bro P. W Cowmover & I took him

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the order. called on Bro Singleton at the Clothing Store. also on Bro J. C. Graham at the "Enquirer" office and talked with him in regard to the Worlds Fair in Chicago in 1892 &c This evening with Geo A Shumway we moved the range made a stand for the barrell & cut a new Stove pipe hole in the roof.

Sunday Nov 1st 1891 I spent the day mostly at home in reading & Conversation. Walked out with Elizabeth to the New B. Y. Academy this evening. called on S. S. Jones at his residence. he has been sick, but is now better. Mr Luce his Mine Supt was there & we had (p. 144) some conversation On Tintic Mining matters. &c -

Monday Nov 2. 1891 I called at Mr Claytons & accompanied his Man to fix our range &c did not get it quite finished before I had to leave for the train The Time table changes today. & I found the train 1 hour late. I left at 1135 & arrived at the city at 12.50 found the Presidency all gone to the Logan Conference. I attended the BIRTHDAY annversy (sic) of the late President John Taylor at his late residence Met with the family at 530 p m. The evening was spent in eating a cold collation. afterwhic a programm was carried out. Geo J. Taylor made a few remarks & recounted the numbers in the family as follows. showing an increse in one year of. I sang the "Seer." followed by remarks on the life & chenaler of Prest Taylor by Thos E. Taylor. A musical duet by Bro Clive & Maggie Taylor. Bro B M Roberts in the life of Prest Taylor or his History which he has written. Recitation by miss Hyde.- Song &c &c The children were entertained in another room I helped to please them by introdung (sic) the game of putting the tail on the donkey. & they had much fun. went home to the Cardo at 11 p m. (p. 145) Pres Jos F Smith had just arrived from Logan.

Tuesday Nov 3. 1891 The First Presidency were at the office this Moring. I have been engaged in the office Daily Journal. Wrote to Bro Robt Ashton

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of West Portage & sent him lists of baptism &c. My Son Thomas called & submitted an agreeemnt handed to him to pay \$138.00 on his city lot. & wanted my advice. I told him to see Mr Armstrong from whom he bought the lot & show him the paper & if he would advance the \$138.00 then he could sign the paper; but not to sign the paper if. Armstrong would not advance the money.

Wednesday. Nov 4. 1891. A fine day. I have been engaged on the Office Daily Journal part of the day in the Presidents Office. Leonard called on me this afternoon & handed me Tithing Office Orders for \$240.00 which he had obtained for me to purchase Wheat at Provo Tithing office. Pres W Woodruff had a chill last night & did not come to the Office do-day. I rode down to his house with Bro Wilcken this afternoon. found Prest Woodruff much better. I went to the Theatre tonight. "Rosina Volks" & party.

Thursday. Nov. 5. 1891. Pleasant Weather. Engaged in the office Prest Woodruff better & at the office. I wrote (p. 146) to my wife Elizabeth & sent the Orders requesting the boys to get the Wheat without delay. I recd a letter from my daughter Eleanor stating she had received an offer of a position as clerk in the East Co-op Store & asking my counsel. I wrote to her & gave my consent to take the position. I went to the Tabernacle concert of Gilmore's Band this evening. Sophia also present. I attended on the business in the Presidents office part of this afternoon.

Friday Nov 6th 1891. Weather cloudy looks like for a storm. I attended to the business in the Presidents office this moring and afternoon Pres. Geo. Q. Cannon is quite unwell but at the office Bro Geo F. Givvs is sick at home. - I collected Elizabeths & Sophia's dividend at Z.C.M.I. this morning \$30.00 each. paid Elizabeths bill of \$10.00 & put rest in "The State Bank of Utah". to her credit \$20.00 Bought ticket 50c for Sister Roueche to go

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to the concert. saw her this evening at Sophias. I went to the Theatre to-night "Skipped by the light of the Moon" not much account.

Saturday Nov 7. 1891. At the office all day. cloudy & cool. President Jos F Smith at the office. I engaged myself in copying for Temple work from Prest John Taylors Record for his Sisters Elizabeth & Agnes who wish to do work for him. (p. 147) I made 2 lists of names to be endowed for. called at Sophias this evening. wrote to Elizabeth & sent R. R permit.

Sunday. Nov 8/91. Spent the day in reading & conversation and at the Cardo House this evening.

Monday, Nov 9. 1891. At the office, the Presidency also present. I arranged to get what money I want next Thursday to pay for my Deseret Land. I made 2 lists of names for Temple Work from Prest John Taylor's record. Recd letter from C. A. very cold to-day. Met Laurence C. Mariger & Chas. W. Smith. Prest W. Woodruff proved up on his Deseret Entry to-day.

Tuesday Nov 10. 1891. At the Office engaged on the Office Daily Journal Went with Son William to Dr Jos Richards. and arragd (sic) to have him circumsized next Friday. Prest Geo. Q. Cannon proved up on his Deseret Land Entry today. My wife Elizabeth & Son Wilford came up from Provo on the train this afternoon. I met them at my Son Thomas this evening & staid all night. It has been cloudy & raining today.

Wednesday Nov 11. 1891 Went with Elizabeth to John. M. Cannon's office at 9 a.m. He questioned her on her answers in making he final proof of Desert Entry at Deseret. Bro Cannon (p. 148) informed me it would be necessary for me to have a copy of my naturalization papers for my wife Elizabeths entry. I left at 930 & took the R G W. train for Provo arrived at 1015 got my paper from home. and returned on the 1230 train arrived at 2 p.m. called at Sister Deha Mares found Elizabeth then & got my dinner, thence to the office. Pres

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Jos F. Smiths Wife Julina, proved up on her Desert entry to-day. I went with Elizabeth to Thomas this evening. I drew \$107. 30 Interest on my Deposit certificate at A. C. M. I. of \$1610.00 also \$210.00 out of my D. C. total \$317.30 also drew \$322.70 at A.S.B. & T. Co. making in all \$640.00 for which I Obtained a Cashiers check in favor of my wife Elizabeth to pay for the Deseret Entry. I also drew \$102.00 my Dividend at A C M I and a Deposite certificate for \$1400.00 at 8% per anum

Thursday Nov 12. 1891. A fine Morning. I went with Elizabeth to John M. Cannons office. where she was questiond as to her entry. and she left with Bro Cannon & Bro Chas Haun at 10 a.m. I remained at Cannons office until he returned. when he handed me the final receipt for the entry, all having passed satisfactory: The Land office retained my copy of Naturalization Papers afterwards at the office attending to duties there. Judge Zane decided in the 3rd Dist Court yesterday against the Church in the church suits for Eschent. (p. 149) The First Presidency decided this morning to vacate the Gardo House for church offices on the last of this month, and move into the Templeton Hotel building. & use the same for church offices. I paid at the Presiding Bishops office this afternoon \$107.15 cash Tithing. Went to Thoma's this evening also called at Leonards for ah hour with Elizabeth. staid Thomas all night

Friday Nov 13. 1891. Elizabeth & Wilford returned home this mornig on the R. G. W. train 950 I went to the Gardo & was engaged in addressing envelopes to the Bishops to contain circular pertaining to it no longer being necessary to send Temple Recommnds to Prest Woodruff for his endorsemnt. The names of the Bishop & Prest of Stake being all that is necessary to admit to the Temples - As per previous arrangmnt I took my Son Willie to Dr Jos S. Richards office when he assisted by Dr. Wilcox circumcised my Son

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after putting him under the influence of chlorform. The operation occupied about an hour. I paid \$15.00 as fees. Willie got along very well and seemed to be doing all right this evening. I went to the Theatre tonight. "The Extravaganza Sinbad or the Maid of Balsora." a fine spectacular piece & well rendered. The First Presidency to-day concluded to move into the old office (p. 150) Known as the B. Y. offices instead of the Templeton.

Saturday Nov 14. 1891. At the Gardo House. engaged on the office Daily Journal. A fine day but rather cool. I called at Sister Precinda Kimball's yesterday with Sister Lizzie Woolley. who wanted to be washed & anointed for her health. & spent half & hour in agreeable conversation. This afternoon I took Bro Andrew Smith to the Theatre Matinee. "Sinbad &c" Went to Sophia's this evening.

Sunday Nov 15th 1891. Geo A. Shumway called on me this morning he came up from Provo to see Bro Cox, Boss Carpenter at the Temple. He saw him & Bro Cox will give him work on the Temple as soon as he can get the house enclosed & warm enough to work in it. Geo. cut my hair & returned home this afternoon. spent the day in reading &c & went to the Gardo tonight. Weather very cold.

Monday Nov 16. 1891. Engaged on the Office Daily Journal. very cold. Bro Sudbury put the Steam on in the Gardo House this morning. Prest Woodruff & Cannon at Ogden to-day. & Prest Smith at Sanpete for Conference Saturday and yesterday. Henry W Laurence U. S. Receiver has a notice in the Herald to rent (p. 151) the Gardo House for 1 year. Prest Smith returned from Sanpete & Prest Woodruff & Cannon from Ogden this afternoon. I arranged with Bro Jos. Watson for him to take Sister Lizzie Crismon & myself to the Cemetery tomorrow afternoon, to locate the graves of our children, John, Harriet & Sophia, so that proper head stones may be placed thereon. Called at Sophias for an hour. Willie is not so well being swollen where he was

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cut by the Doctor last Friday.

Tuesday Nov 17. 1891. Learned that Lizzie Crismon cannot go to the Cemetery to-day. had Bro Watson so informed. I called on Dr Jos S. Richards & he went to see Willie & properly attended to him, cutting off the stitches & directing a wash to be used. Prest Woodruff & Counselors decided to move into the B Y. offices at the end of the Month. I obtained 50.00 of Sophias Money at the State Bank & paid \$12.50 for her water rates to June 1st 1892 & handed her 15.00. I wrote to the Curtis Publishing Co. Phil. Pa. & sent \$5.00 P. O. Money order for 5 copies of the Ladies Home Journal. one each for Elizabeth. Sophia. A. Winter. Josephine Roueche. & Ann Christiansen of Farmington. Bro Lee Pratt called to see me & aske (sic) advice about his moving to Teton Basin & making a home there for himself & families. I advised him to do so. (p. 152) and suggested that he consult Prest Jos F. Smith on the subject, which he did. I went to the Hot Springs this afternoon & had a bath. called on Sister Farratt & Son this evening. Sophia also there & Bro Wm B. Barton. Engaged to-day on the office Daily Journal.

Wednesday. Nov 18. 1891. A fine pleasant day. Engaged on the Office Daily Journal for 1883. I find that symptoms of the trouble in my face is again appearing. in itching & color on my forehead & about my eyes. I am taking & have been taking things to Keep this away, but it seems to follow me. Bro Wilcklin informed me that Deputy Bush was going after Lee Pratts family so as to bring him into court. I went out to the Springs & told Lee this afternoon so that he could take care of his family to-night. I went with Bros Saml J Sudbury & Bp Apollos Driggs to the "Wonderland" Dime Museum this evening & paid for their tickets. saw. "Unzie" a freak. has a busy head of white hair. & light colored eyes. they change color 8 times. he is a native of New Zealand or Australia. also Jojo a dog faced boy aged 20 years he has

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human hair on his head but his face is covered with animal hair. he was found 17 years ago when 3 years old with his father in a cave in Russia. His father was more hairy than the boy. & died some 5 years ago. uncivilized (p. 153) No trace of the Mother could be found. other attractions were also there and a large crowd of people.. I conversed with Unzie on Mormonism told him of our labors among the Mauris in New Zealand. & recommded him to get a Book of Mormon & read it. He is a spiritulest & attended the Sabbath-day Meeting last Sunday. afternoon

Thursday Nov 19. 1891. I paid Sophias Terr. Co & School taxes on her home-
stead lot. \$21.25 also \$6.00 on Cash Tithing. Engaged on the Office Daily Journal. Willie was some better last evening. Weather cloudy. & likely for rain or Snow. This afternoon Bro John Beck informed me that his wife had been stricken with paralosis to-day & asked me to go & administer to her. I called on Bro Thos Allston to accompany me & we went to Bro Becks residency with him and administered to Sister Beck - Bro Allston anointed and I was mouth in administering. she is feeling much better & hopeful that she will soon be well again. While there I talked with Bro Beck about my bill against the Bullion Beck company. He said no action had been taken on it yet. but that he thought favorable action would be taken, if not by this present board by another one. He said he Knew of my services & I (p. 154) should be paid. The company had been much harassed this past year in the courts &c.. I packed up & carried some of my effects from the Gardo House to Sophias this evening.

Friday Nov 20. 1891. A calm pleasant day. Engaged on the Office Daily Journal. They are cleaning out and putting the B. Y. offices in good shape for the First Presidency to occupy. I made my arrangements this afternoon to go to Provo this evening on the 6. O'clock train. & left by the 605

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train arrived at 7⁴⁷ p m & found my wife & family all well. I conversed with Bros Jos Birch & S. S. Jones on the car.

Saturday Nov 21/91. A cold day. some rain in showers. I went with my son Wilford & got some sage brush to make poultice for my forehead & Eyes. We also went through the Cemetery. I could not find my father & Mothers graves. on returning home my Son Joseph Knew where they were & we went with the team & wagon & he showed them to me. I purpose having the lot fixed up & proper head Stones put to the graves. my wife applied poultices to my forehead this evening and I went to bed my nephew Wm George Nuttall called & I conversed with him (p. 155) for an hour this evening. Kept poultices on all night.

Sunday Nov . 22. 1891. A finer day. felt better in my face this morning. and got up. Spent the day in reading & conversation walked out for awhile with Mary & Eleanor this evening.

Monday Nov 23/91 Consecrated a bottle of Oil for Elizabeth Ann, and administered to her baby who has a cold. Whilst waiting at the Depot for the train I conversed with Bro John W Turner about his taking the Agency for the Worlds Fair committee & he promised to take it. I left on the 12 M. train. Bro Jos A. Bean on the train we talked over Provo affairs. arrived at 1²⁰ and went to the Gardo House. Engaged this afternoon in the office & looking for a copy of a letter to Bro John Henry Smith in regard to rebaptisms &c from Prest John Taylor to him. Did not find it. Sophia & children are all well. I went to the Theatre this evening. Play "U. & I." a commie farce. no plot, but fun.

Tuesday Nov 24. 1891 At the Office. engaged on the Daily office Jouranal. Wm Dallin is making a bust of Prest Jos F. Smith & asked my criticism on it. which I gave & he accepted. Bro Geo Reynolds is at home sick. he sent word for me to open the letters & attend to his duties. I found the letter

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to Bro John Henry Smith in regard to rebaptisms from Prest John Taylor on rebaptisms &c (p. 156) and made an extract found for Bro C. W. Penrose and a copy for myself. a fine pleasant day. I also copied a revelation given to Prest John Taylor into my book for private use this evening.

Wednesday Nov 25. 1891. A fine day, engaged on the Office Daily Journal. also attended the meeting of the Board of Directors of Zion's Saving's Bank & Trust Company & took the Minutes for Bro. Reynolds. Wrote to C.A. It rained some this afternoon. I went to Sophias this evening.

Thursday Nov 26. 1891. A fine pleasant Morning. Thanksgiving Day. observed as a holiday. I did not go out until 3 p m & then went to the Gardo House to change my Clothes & at 4 p.m. went to Sister Barratts where I & Sophia had been invited to take dinner. We spent the evening in agreeable conversation Sophia is not feeling very well in her health. I returned to the Gardo at 930 & went with Bro A Driggs to the Theatre & thense to the Post Office for a walk.

Friday Nov 27. 1891. Somewhat cloudy this morning. Engaged on the office Daily Jornal. I heard 4 pistol shots about 7 O'clock this Morning & afterwards (p. 157) learned that Policemen Captain Parker and officer Allbright had got into an altercation & Parker was shot & killed by Allbright. I called on Sister Macdonald at the "Bee Hive House" this morning & found I could have a room and board there at \$5.00 per week. I engaged the same. I called on Bro G. G. Bywater & left with him Wilfords watch for repairs. also called on Thomas. he explained the electric motor on the Street cars. He & family are all well. Leonard called to see me this evening, he & family are all well. I went to the Theatre this evening. "A straight tip." foolish.

Saturday. Nov 28. 1891. The Presidency are away to-day and we commenced

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getting our effects together and moving from the Gardo House to the B. Y. offices. I wrote to my wife Elizabeth informing her that I could not go to Provo this week. I went to Sophia's this evening.

Sunday Nov 29. 1891. Spent the day in reading & Conversation. Sister M. M. Barratt called this evening for a couple of hours. Sophia had the promise of a room & board for me at Sister Judge Elias Smiths, she went & requested them to hold the place for me which they promised to do.

Monday Nov 30. 1891. We finished our moving to-day and I commenced board ing at Sister Macdonalds. I have a comfortable room. I located my desk in the office, but we are all in confusion while the (p. 158) workmen are cleaning. the walls &c. I went to the Theatre this evening. Prest Woodruff & family also there Play of "You Yonsen" which was very good. I sent 21.00 to W H Brown Provo to pay my Provo city & Lakeview taxes. also paid C Haun 3.00 as witness fee on my Deseret Land.

Tuesday Dec 1st. 1891. At the Office, I am engaged at my desk on the office Daily Journal. Lee Pratt called and requested me to write a petition to the First Presidency for him asking for some assistance which I did. I wrote to my wife Elizabeth & sent her money & order for December. Bishop Robertson of Orangeville called on me & brought a letter from Bro Chas H. Oliphant. I also conversed with him. It has been cloudy all day with a little rain.

Wednesday Dec 2. 1891. At the Office, engaged on the Office Daily Journal. Snowed considerable to-day. & very cold. Went to the Theatre to-night.

"The Old Homstead." I attended a call meeting at 11 a.m at Z C M I office to organize an Investment company. we made all arragmts & adjourned to meet at 4 p.m tomorrow.

Thursday Dec. 3rd. 1891. Snowed during the night, about 4 inches of snow fell. At the office engaged in the Office Daily Journal. Observed the Fast day.

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I called at Cutlers & Bro Sprys. Taylors Shops about them making me a suit of clothes. attended the Investment Co Meeting and (p. 159) we there learned that our arrangements of yesterday were not good as at least \$100,000. must be paid in cash as capital Stock. other arrangements were talked of & Bro H. J. Grant was appointed a county to see certain Monied men to get their endorsement to a note so as to raise \$100,000.00 & this start a company. I conversed with Bro. S. S. Jones in regard to furnishing Ties for the Saltair Beach Ralroad. & got his figues for them say 40.000Ties of Balsam & Norway pine at 50¢ each or Red pine at 55¢ each. Pres Jos F Smith at the Investment meeting after conversaing with me. moved that I be appointed to visit Utah County and solicit subscriptions to the Utah Sugar Co. Prest. Geo Q. Cannon & all present were in favor. Bro Cannon said the Presidency would act upon the suggestion. Bro. S. S. Jones told me that an offer of \$3,000,000.00 had been offered for the Bullion Beck Minig property. I called at Sophia's for an hour.

Friday Dec 4. 1891 Clear & Cold. I took my cloth to the Cutler Bros & was meaured for a suit of clothes to cost \$15.00. \$12.00 in Tithing Pay. Engaged on the Office Daily Journal. Henry W (p. 169) Laurence. Receiver in the Church Suits took possession of the Gardo House to-day. I received my tax receipts from Provo all O. K. Our office is in an uproar through the workmen. and they intend to whitewash our rooms tomorrow. I went by the R G W train to Provo this evening. conversed with Bp Thos R Cutler on the car. on Sugar Company affairs. They expect to close up the Beet cutting & pressing next week. But will be making sugar until Christmas. I found my wife Elizabeth & family at home all well but my son Joseph has had another attack or Malaria & is not well.

Saturday Dec 5th 1891. I called at the Provo Woolen Factory and receivd

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a check on the State Bank of Utah No 705 for \$33.00 5% dividend on my Capital Stock 6 $\frac{3}{5}$ shares. I also called on Bro Peter W. Cowmover at his home & found him well. I called at the "Enquirer Office" for a short time also at the East Coop Store & S S Jones Store. In the afternoon I called at the Court House & had a talk with. T. M. Samuelson & Wm H Brown Tax collectors also talked with Judge J. D. Jones about his (p. 161) Uncles Estate in Ephraim Sanpete & got his figures as to a compromise. he seemed very friendly. I had a talk with Bro S S Jones. Weather very cold.

Sunday Dec 6th 1891. I spent the day at home in conversation & reading went to the 1st Ward Meeting this evening and spoke to the Saints for half an hour with good freedom. Bro Lafayette Holbrook followed for half an hour. I have not seen him since we were in England together as Missionaries in 1875. Joseph & George came over from the farm this evening. Joseph is feeling much better for which I am very thankful.

Monday Dec 7. 1891 I went up to the East Co-op to look for a Stove for Elizabeth & fixed a lid for her Water barrel at home. After partaking of dinner I went on the train for Salt Lake. left at 12:10 and arrived at 125 p m. making the trip in 1 hour & 15 mints. In the afternoon I deposited \$260.00 at the State Bank of Utah for Mary. & enquired as to the prices of Stoves &c & wrote to my wife Elizabeth about them. Engaged in the office part of the afternoon & called at Sophias for an hour this evening. I received a check on the State Bank of Utah No 103 for \$22.50 being the 25 dividend of the Bullion. Beck & Champion Mining Co. from (p. 162) Bp W. B Preston Treasurer. Prest Woodruff has been in much pain to-day in his Stomach & bowels & went home early. A cold day.

Tuesday Dec 8. 1891. I have been engaged in fixing our room the White washers having only just got through. In the afternoon I went with Bro C H Wilckens

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in his buggy to his home & had dinner. then called on Prest W. Woodruff at his home. at his request we administered to him. I being mouth. he said he felt much better when we left. he had been somewhat delirious in the Morning. We then drove to Bro John Carlisles on Mill creek & spent a couple of hours with the family. Sister Haidee had a nice little baby 7 weeks old had supper & we returned to the Office by 630 p m I went to the Theatre tonight. "Do Bill" no account.

Wednesday, Dec 9. 1891. Somewhat warmer this morning. Engaged on the office Daily Journal. Prest Woodruff is feeling much better this morning. I called at the Tailors & had my coat fitted & obtained my Tithing orders to pay for my Suit I drove down to Prest Woodruff this afternoon (p. 163) with Bro C. H. Wilcken and while there we administered to him. Bro Wilcken Mouth & Bro John Jacques assisting I called at Sophias & took the children to see the stores fixed up for Christmas.

Thursday. Dec 10. 1891. A fine morning. Bro S. S. Jones called and submitted some Mining matters to me. with a request that I talk with Prest Geo. Q. Cannon about them. He & Bros Thos R Cutler & Reed Smoot have some good Mining claims which they are willing to share with other brethren to hold & develope them. I received a letter from Elizabeth. she will take the stove at the East Co-op. all are well. Engaged on the Office Daily Journal. I went to the Theatre this evening Crismer & Davis in the "Burglar." very fine play & well played.

Friday Dec 11th 1891 A fine day. Engaged at the office & bought a small box. & sent it away. Prest Geo Q Cannon spoke to me about my going to Utah County in the interest of the Utah Sugar Co. I told him I was ready to go. & have been waiting for instructions. He said the Prests Woodruff & Smith were willing and anxious for me to go. I told him I would confer with him

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further tomorrow. I attended a reunion of the 17th Ward in the Ward Meeting House this evening. in respect to Bro Albert W Davis the 1st Counselor of Bp John Tingey who has been appointed (p. 164) Bishop of Center Ward. Salt Lake Stake. a progame was filled out. Pres. Jos F Smith. A. H. Cannon Jos E Taylor & Bp Tingey made a few remarks Sandwiches Ice cream & Cake were distributed to all present. Sophias was there.

Saturday Dec 12. 1891. A fine day. Engaged in the office. conversed with Prest Geo Q. Cannon on the Sugar Co. matters The First Presidency will give me a letter. I also talked with him on Bro S. S. Jones Mining matters which was quite satisfactory. I afterwards called on Bro Elias Morris the President of the Company. He will send me proper credentials on Monday. I met Bro Thos Higgs of Manti. Wrote to C. A. and made my arrangemnts for my trip to Utah Co. I wrote to Bp Thos R Cutler to meet me at Lehi or the Sugar Factory on Monday. Went to Sophias.

Sunday Dec 13. 1891 Spent the day in conversation. reading &c

Monday Dec 14. 1891 I left by this Morning R. G. W Train & stopped off at Lehi drove over to the Sugar Factory with Bro Jas. E. Jennings. conversed with Bp T. R. Cutler on the Sugar business. was introduced to Mr Dyer & got all the information I could from them in regard to the (p. 165) Sugar Factory &c had dinner there Bp J P R Johnson was there also. I returned to Lehi & took the afternoon train for Provo. found all well.

Tuesday Dec 15/91 I receivd my letters from Prests Woodruff. Cannon & Smith also from Bros Elias Morris & J. E. Jennings of the Sugar company authorizing me as their Agent to solicit and sell Stock of the Company. I called on several of the brethren, but first called on Pres. A. O. Smoot and started in business in earnest. Went with wife Elizabeth to the Theatre tonight.

Wednesday Dec 16/91 called on several of the brethren. sold some shares.

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At 1140 a m I left for Manti arrived at 350 p m. I called on Bro A. H Lund at the Temple and conversed with him in regard to the Edward Jones Estate matters wherein certain property at Ephriam had been left to the Ephriam Branch of the Church & the heirs of the said Estate are now making demands for the proceeds of the property. I arranged for Pres Canute Peterson & Parlan McFarlain the Executors of the Estate to meet me tomorrow at Manti. I Spent the evening at the Temple Hotel & slept at the Temple. Bros H McCune of Nephi & Bro Faux of Moroni Workers in the Temple also slept in an adjoining bed to mine.

Thursday Dec 17. 1891. I went to the Temple this morning and at the request of Pres A H Lund I spoke to the assembly for a short time (p.166) At 11 a m I met with Pres Canute Peterson. Parlan McFarlain & Bp Wm T Reid at the Court House we adjourned to the Tithing Office & there examined the papers pertaining to the Edward Jones Estate & I heard their explanations and took such notes as I deemed proper for the use of our Church Attorneys to whom I expected to submit the whole matter. We were together until 3 p m. I afterwards drove to the Temple with Pres Peterson and I explained what had been done to Bro A H Lund. also attended the Prayer Circle Meeting. This evening I accompanied Bros. McCune. Faux. Sister Cownover & two of the Sisters at the Temple to Bro Higgs residence on the occasion of his birthday anniversary & spent the time with him & family & company in conversation. singing &c. I slept at the Hotel.

Tuesday [Friday] Decr 18th/91 I arose early. Left by train at 850 arrived at Provo at 1 p m all well. I called on some of the brethren this afternoon not very successful. Ep Johnson arranged for some Theatre Tickets for me. & I went with Elizabeth also Mary & Wilford to the Theatre tonight. I wrote to Sophia. It snowed some today.

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Saturday Dec 17 [19]/91 Went out early. called on Bro A. Halliday & family also on other brethren. had poor success in selling Sugar Co stock. I was out until dark. Mrs Ann Leitham (p.167) and Son Thomas called and spent the evening. I was glad to have them call for it has been several years since we so met. Thomas offered to meet me at Spanish Fork with a conveyance

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and take me to visit the people at Lake Shore Ward.

Sunday Dec 20th 1891 Snowing. Have a very bad cold. don't feel well. did not go to meeting. tried to go in the evening but found it was not safe for me to go out.

Monday Dec 21st 1891 Called on some of the brethren & sold 18 Shares of stock. I left for Salt Lake City on the 12⁵⁵ p m train. and arrived on time. went to the office bought some Christmas Candies &c at A C M. I. called on Sophias this evenig. Snowed -

Tuesday Dec 22. 1891 At the office to-day. Called on Jas E. Jennings. and obtaind certificates of Sugar Co Stock for those who have paid me for them. Very cold to-day. Assisted Bro W. A Rossiter with his inventory of the Gardo House furniture &c at Sophias'.

Wednesday Dec 23/91 Snowing very hard. Bishop John Sharp. died this morning. I started for Provo on 9⁵⁵ a m train and arrivd in a snowstorm. I got some wool at the Factory & made a beard &c for Wilford who takes the part of Santa Clause tomorrow in the Primary Assos. My cold is very tight.

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Thursday Dec 24. 1891 Snowing & Cold. Went to Ward Meeting House this afternoon with Wilford & dressed him & assisted in distributing prizes from Christmas tree to the children. My cold much worse.

Friday Dec 25. 1891 Christmas Day. I kept my bed until noon. Joseph & George came over from the farm. Ate my christmas dinner with my family. and sat up playing games in the evening.

Saturday Dec 26. 1891 I Kept my bed all day. and sweat myself. Took a Sobelia emetic. My wife Elizabeth & Daughter Mary assisting me. Sweat all night. & felt some easier.

Sunday Dec 27/91 Feeling some better but not rid of my cough. Bishop Johnson

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called to see me & gave my name to the Prayer Circle to be prayed for.

Snowing nearly all day

Monday Dec 28/91 Feeling tolerable well, but have some cough. Staid at home all day. reading &c.

Tuesday Dec 29/91 At home. Went out awhile this afternoon. Called at the Tithing office and paid my Tithing. Wrote to Sophia. called at "Enquirer" office talked with Graham & Keeler. Bought some candy &c for my cough. It commenced snowing at 6 a.m. and continued till 230 p m stopped for a short time and continued again until night. Our Children attended a Sunday School Meeting at Ward House. Prizes given to children.

Wednesday Dec 30/91. Snowed very hard all night. Joseph & George came from the farm. I wrote an agreement for them & Geo A. Shumway & Elizabeth Ann. to take Shumway's farm &c for the coming year. More snow this morning. fine & clear this afternoon. My cough is quite tight I am taking stuff to relieve it.

Thursday Dec 31/91 Geo. A. Shumway left for Salt Lake this morning to commence work on the Salt Lake Temple. Had my hair cut. Kept in doors all day nursing myself. I attended a Ward Reunion at the Meeting House. Supper, games. speaked &c in which myself. Wife & Children took part.

